WEATHER.

Local rains Monday. Tuesday, partly cloudy.

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CONTINUED PROGRESS IN DOBRUDJA MADE BY THE CENTRAL POWERS

Russo-Rumanian Forces Endeavoring to Retreat Across Danube on Pontoon Bridges.

ADVANCE IN TRANSYLVANIA

Bucharest Declares Two Howitzers Were Captured in Fighting in the Jiul Valley.

ANGLO-FRENCH MAKE GAINS

British Positions at Several Points Bombarded Heavily.

Aside from the continued progress of the Teutonic allies in the Dobrudja region of Rumania and fresh gains by the French and British in the Somme region of France, there is little if any change in the situation in any of the various theatres of the war.

The Rumanians and Russians in Dobrudja are still in retreat before the German, Bulgarian and Turkish troops, and are now endeavoring to make their way over the Danube at various points on pontoon bridges, according to the Sofia war office.

Bucharest Reports Gains

On the Transylvanian front the Russians and Rumanians apparently are operating successfuly against the Teutonic allies, near the junction of Bukowina, Transylvania and Rumania and to the south near Campulung and in the Jiul valley have gained successes over them. In the fighting in the Jiul valley the Rumanians are declared by Bucharest to have captured two Howitzer batteries, which lafer were turned against the Austro-Germans. According to Berlin the Teutons have made additional gains south of Kronstadt and in the direction of Campulung.

Following up their advantage of Saturday, the British captured another German trench Sunday northeast of Les Boeufs in the Somme region, while the French made fresh advances near Sailly-Saillisel and Biaches. Heavy artillery against the British positions is being carried out by the Germans in the Les Boufs sectors and elsewhere.

Again, according to Berlin, another heavy offensive against the German lines along the Stokhod river in Volhynia has been put down by the German curtain of fire. Petrograd reports successful reconnaissances by the Russians along the river Stavok, a tributary of the Stokhod.

The Macedonian theatre is still the scene of somewhat vigorous fighting, especially at the bend of the Cerna river. Both sides are claiming victories in the maneuvers in this region.

Except for bombardments the bad weather on the Austro-Italian front is keeping down the operations. In order to allay suspicion as to his sincerity held by the Entete allies, King Constantine of Greece has ordered the transfer of all the Greek troops from Thessaly and Epirus, except sufficient number to maintain order.

GERMAN U-BOAT ARRIVES WITH 24 OF BRITISH CREW

Berlin, Oct. 29, (via Sayville).—A dispatch from Christiania to the Overseas News Agency, quotes the Afterposten as reporting the arrival of a German submarine at Honningsvaag with the crew of 24 of the British steamer Polo. The Polo, the report adds, with 3,500 tons of coal for Alexandrovsk from Newcastle, was sunk by the submarine 30 miles off North Cape.

The British steamer Polo, of 1,899 tons gross, was last reported as passing Dover on October 4 on her way to Hull from Almeria.

CAPTAIN BOELKE KILLED AFTER DESTROYING 40TH AEROPLANE

London, Oct. 29.—Captain Boelke, the famous German aviator, during an air fight on Saturday, came in collision with another aeroplane and was killed, according to a Berlin dispatch to Reuters by way of Amsterdam. His machine landed within the German lines. On Friday Captain Boelke shot down his fortieth aeroplane.

BERLIN SAYS THE BRITISH ATTACKS WERE FRUITLESS

Berlin, October 30. (via Sayville) — Heavy attacks were launched yesterday by the British between Guedecourt and Les Boeufs, on the Somme front. These were either repressed by the German artillery or repulsed by the infantry, according to today's army headquarters statement. A later attack east of Les Boeufs resulted in the penetration of a German advanced trench, where fighting is still in progress.

On the Verdun front there was only artillery activity. The statement follows:

"Army Group of Crown Prince Rupprecht: British attacks which developed after strong artillery fire between Guedecourt and Les Boeufs were held down by our artillery in most cases. Wherever they were carried out they

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CONSIDERATION IS GIVEN SOUTHPORT

Naval Consulting Board Considering Over Fifty Sites for Research Laboratory.

EDISON HEADS COMMITTEE

Salt Water of Good Depth Must Be Available Together With 100 Acres of Land—Over $1,000,000 Will Be Spent.

New York, Oct. 29.—More than fifty sites in many parts of the country for what is expected to become the greatest scientific institution in the world are under consideration by a committee of the Naval Consulting Board, it was stated here today by Thomas Robins, secretary of the Board, in telling of the extended search it is conducting for a place to build its experimental and research laboratory for the development of advanced science in its application to national defense. The committee, of which Thomas A. Edison is chairman, has been conducting its investigation for several weeks, Mr. Robins said, and will continue the work for some time to come until the most suitable spot has been found. Southport, N. C., is on the list of sites now under consideration.

Mr. Edison has made a number of automobile scouting trips along the coast in the hunt for the site and has suggested several places for examination by the committee. An indication of the character of the work that is occupying the Board's attention is shown in Mr. Robins' statement of the requirements the site for the laboratory must meet.

"The laboratory will need about 100 acres", he said, "in order to provide space for testing projectiles, aero engines and similar devices, in addition to taking care of the large and small buildings for many kinds of work. There will be shops in which almost any kind of manufacturing can be done, from a fuse to a submarine.

"Salt water of good depth must be available in order that ships may come right up to the shops and in order to facilitate submerged work, submarine signalling, and the detection of submarines at a distance. For experiments in this line the passage of peaceful vessels will serve every purpose and therefore the committee looks with favor upon such sites as front upon well travelled waterways.

"In order to place our navy safely in the lead the laboratory will develop not only new devices but new materials and even new scientific principles."

The last naval bill appropriated $1,000,000 for the laboratory and it is expected that half a million more for it will be included in the next bill. The bill provided that the money should be used for research in gunerosion, torpedo motive power, the gyroscope, submarine guns, protection against submarine, torpedo and mine attack, and improvements in submarines, aeroplanes, radiography and other applied sciences used in naval operations. The construction of the plant for such research, its equipment and the compensation of civilian scientific assistants are to be paid for out of the appropriation, but it is expected that the present million dollars already set aside and the half million hoped for next year will be devoted to the site and plant, while money for further equipment and salaries will come out of future annual appropriations.

LABOR IS NOT SUPPORTING ANY ONE SET OF CANDIDATES

Denial Is Made In A Speech By Secretary Frank Morrison

Pittsburg, Oct. 29.—Denial that the American Federation of Labor is supporting any one set of candidates in the present political campaign was made in a speech here today by Frank Morrison, secretary of the organization.

"The chief deception practiced in this campaign is the charge that trade union officials are trying to deliver the votes of the membership to one candidate or set of candidates," said Secretary Morrison.

"And always such charges ordinarily contain the intimation that another and different set of candidates should be favored. Lest there be misunderstanding of the position of the American Federation of Labor, let it be stated that the Federation is supporting in this campaign Republican, Democratic and Socialist candidates for office where these candidates have declared in favor of legislation for the amelioration of the conditions of the wage workers of the country."

BRITISH CONSUL DIES

Thomas Edward Erskine Attacked With Heart Failure at New Orleans.

New Orleans, Oct. 29.—Thomas Edward Erskine, consul general for Great Britain in New Orleans, died here late today of heart failure, aged 57 years. Mr. Erskine had been in failing health for several months.

Gerald D. Paul, vice-consul here, will act as consul general pending the appointment of a successor to Mr. Erskine.

CURT TERMS USED BY BRECKINRIDGE

Characterizes As a Scoundrel Person Who Quoted Him to Senator Lodge as Reported.

WERE NO CABINET THREATS

Secretary Houston Also Denies That the President Added a Postscript to the Second Lusitania Note to Germany.

New York, Oct. 29.—Emphatic denial of having stated as charged by Senator Lodge that President Wilson had eliminated a postscript from the second Lusitania note only when members of his cabinet threatened to resign if it were included, was made by Henry C. Breckinridge, former assisant Secretary of War, in a telegram sent to the Philadelphia Public Ledger and made public here tonight by the Democratic National Committee.

Mr. Breckinridge's telegram, filed at San Mateo, Cal., was given out by the committee as follows:

"Any one who quoted me to Senator Lodge, as represented in your telegram as quoted, is a scoundrel. No member of President Wilson's cabinet ever threatened him on any subject. The malice that would seek for partisan advantage to emasculate the potency of one's government in a vital international affair by the mongering of backstairs gossip is beneath contempt."

Another denial of Senator Lodge's assertion was contained in a message received at Democratic headquarters from David M. Houston, Secretary of Agriculture, who said:

"I have received a telegram from the Philadelphia Public Ledger reporting Senator Lodge as having said at Brocton that after the second Lusitania note had been read the President added a postscript informing the German government that the words 'strict accountability' and other strong phrases were not to be taken seriously and that I threaten to resign if the postscript was added. Of course, this a fabrication pure and simple. The President would have been incapable of conceiving such a crooked course.

"I never heard of such a postscript and did not threaten, and have at no other time threatened, to resign. I would have been astounded at the reported statement if I had not noted other irresponsible, unpatriotic and disloyal utterances of Republican leaders, especially those raising and dealing with sectionalism. Surely the Republican leaders are very desperate and in sad need of issues when they lend themselves to such things."

FORMER SECRETARY GARRISON DECLINES TO DISCUSS MATTER

Washington, Oct. 29.—Former Secretary of War Garrison, here to appear as counsel before the Supreme Court tomorrow, declined tonight to comment on Senator Lodge's speech or the telegram of Mr. Breckinridge, his former secretary.

Mr. Garrison asked whether Mr. Breckenridge had denied the statement attributed to him but declined to discuss the matter further.

PRESIDENT LEAVES DENIAL TO HIS CABINET MEMBERS

Long Branch, N. C., Oct. 29.—Renewal of claims by Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, that President Wilson had eliminated a weakening postscript from the "strict accountability" note in connection with the sinking of the Lusiania, brought forth no statement from President Wilson tonight, officials here taking the position that denials by cabinet members were sufficient.

The President was informed that former Assistant Secretary of War Breckinridge had denied the truth of an interview with him which Senator Lodge gave as the authority for his charge.

BODY OF NORMAN PRINCE RESTS IN VAULT IN FRANCE

Uncle of American Aviator Who Was Killed Returns to America

New York, Oct. 29.—Dr. Morton Prince, of Boston, an uncle of Norman Prince, the American aviator recently killed in France, returned here today on the American Line Steamship Philadelphia from Liverpool. The body of the young American, he said, is now in a vault at Luxeuil, awaiting removal to America.

The Philadelphia brought 610 passengers, Approaching the American coast the life boats were swung out, lights illuminating the name of the ship and the American flag painted on her sides were kept burning at night, and the same precautions as taken while in the war zone off the British Isles, were observed.

LUTHERAN CELEBRATION IS TO CONTINUE FOR ONE YEAR

Commemoration of the Quadri-Centennial of Reformation Begun.

Philadelphia, Oct. 29.—The nation-wide celebration of the quadri-centennial of the Reformation by members of the Lutheran church was inaugurated here today by special services in all churches of that denomination and by a union meeting tonight at which leading Lutherans made addresses. The celebration will continue a year and an effort will be made to raise a fund of $10,000,000 for education, missions and pensions for aged ministers of the Lutheran church.

Knoxville, Tenn., Oct. 29.—Mr. James A. Ruble, 80, member of te Holston conference Methodist Episcopal church for 50 years, and captain of Mountain Branch National Soldiers' Home at Johnson City, died today.

PRESIDENT HAS A BUSY WEEK AHEAD

Plans to Devote Virtually His Entire Time to His Campaign for Re-Election.

MANY OPTIMISTIC LETTERS

Messages From Various Parts of the Country Predict Victory—Mr. Wilson Will Go to New York State Wednesday.

Long Branch, N. J., October 29. — President Wilson plans to devote virtually his entire time this week to his campaign for re-election. Letters and telegrams from various parts of the country predicting victory for the Democratic ticket, were forwarded to Shadow Lawn today from the executive offices.

The President will visit Buffalo on Wednesday and New York city on Thursday, and next Saturday will address a gathering of New Jersey citizens here. He probably will go to Princeton election day to vote. Arrangements have been made for the President to receive full election returns at Shadow Lawn.

Mr. Wilson probably will return to Washington within two or three days after the election.

Viscount Aimano Sato, the new Japanese ambassador to the United States, will pay a formal call on President Wilson tomorrow afternoon to present his credentials. Later the President will receive a committee from the National Association of Commissioners of Agriculture and tomorrow he will have as his dinner guest Augustus Thomas, the playwright, who speaks here tomorrow night in behalf of Mr. Wilson's candidacy.

Word came from Secretary of State Lansing tonight that the statement credited to Luis Cabrera, chairman of the Mexican section of the joint international commission, criticising the American government for failing to prevent assistance being given Mexican bandits from the United States, had been repudiated by Mr. Cabrera.

McCORMICK SAYS CAMPAIGN FOR WILSON ALREADY WON

New York, Oct. 29.—Chairman Vance C. McCormick, of the Democratic National Committee left today for Chicago to look over the Western situation. Before his departure he declared the campaign for President Wilson already had been won.

SAYS ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN AND MINNESOTA FOR HUGHES

New York, Oct. 29.—Optimistic reports of conditions in the middle west were made here today by A. T. Hert, of Chicago, head of the Western headquarters, at a conference of Republican campaign managers with National Chairman W. R. Willcox. Mr. Hert told his co-workers the Republicans were certain to carry Illinois, Wisconsin and Minnesota.

HUGHES STARTS ON LAST WEEK OF HIS CAMPAIGN

Ogdensburg, N. Y., Oct. 29.—Charles E. Hughes today started on the last week of his presidential campaign. He saw no callers today and left at 5 p. m. for points in Ohio and Indiana.

Only five more days of active campaigning confront the Republican nominee. Three will be spent in Ohio and Indiana and Thursday and Friday in New York state. His last speeches of the campaign will be delivered in New York City next Saturday night.

Mr. Hughes entered on the last week of his campaign in better physical condition than he has been in at any time during the last three months.

His voice has shown little of the strain noticeable in his previous trips and is clear and strong. He expects to deliver 23 speeches before reaching New York City.

URGES THAT HOME RULE FOR IRELAND BE PUT INTO EFFECT

Redmond Says Present State of Affairs is a Serious Menace to Victory.

London, Oct. 30.—Speaking at Sligo Sunday John Redmond, the national leader, urged the immediate putting into effect of home rule for Ireland.

"The present state of Ireland," said Mr. Redmond, "is a serious menace to the British empire to a victorious ending of the war. Ireland's suspicion of British statesmen and their promises should be met with trust and home rule put immediately into operation. This would do more to help the successful ending of the war than the alliance of half a dozen neutrals. * * *

"Ireland is suffering from a brain storm. A guest of passion has swept the country and a period of calm is necessary to restore a rational and sane view of the causes and the consequences of the tragedy through which Ireland has just passed.

"Common sense is rapidly reasserting itself and the passion is subsiding. Ireland has come to believe that she must not sacrifice the fruits of 40 years of patient labor in a moment of anger and disappointment."

San Juan del Sur, Nicaragua, Oct. 29. —The War Line steamer Jalisco arrived here today ,inaugurating a direct service between New York and Central American ports.

NORTH CAROLINA TROOPER IS ACCIDENTALLY KILLED

El Paso, Texas, Oct. 29.—Private Lee Furtic, of troop A, North Carolina cavalry, was killed today in his tent, while writing a letter, by the accidental discharge of his pistol. He enlisted at Mount Island, N. C.

Genius of the German Army and His Aged Mother

Field Marshall Von Mackensen, commander of the Teuton forces in Dobrudja, who has just routed the Russo-Rumanian armies and now threatens a drive on Bucharest, the capital of Rumania, is regarded today as one of Germany's foremost Generals. Many of her military successes in the East are attributed to his sagacious campaigning. Mrs. Von Mackensen recently passed her eighty-ninth year and takes great pride in the achievements of her illustrious son.

VIRGINIA TO BE 'DRY' STATE AFTER TUESDAY

Officers of the Law Preparing for Strict Enforcement.

Railroads Refuse to Receive Liquor Shipments After Today—Churches and Temperance Bodies to Celebrate.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 29.—Virginia enters the ranks of prohibition states at midnight on Tuesday, swelling the total to 18 states.

State and local authorities are preparing for a strict enforcement of the law, which is drastic and believed to be practically court proof, combining the strictest features of measures that have already stood the tests.

For all practical purposes, Virginia will be dry before tomorrow night, as liquor houses throughout the state are rapidly disposing of their stocks. As no liquor can be shipped after midnight on Tuesday, carriers have served notice taht none will be received for shipment after tomorrow, consequently little will remain for sale on Tuesday.

Churches and temperance bodies throughout the state are preparing to celebrate the wiping out of the liquor traffic in Virginia with "watch parties". The celebration in the clubs and hotels will be more of the nature of a wake.

In spite of a provision which makes the possession of liquor in certain quantities prima facie evidence of intent to violate the law, large supplies are being laid in by those able to provide against arid days. This feature of the law, it is expected, will soon meet with a test in court. The mails have been swamped for the past few weeks with letters from out-of-town liquor concerns soliciting future orders.

Under the new law one quart of whiskey, one gallon of wine or three gallons of beer may be purchased outside the state by any man over 21 years of age who is not of intemperate habits or a student, of by a woman if she is the head of a family. No malt liquor of any kind may be sold even if it shows no percentage of alcohol. The only alcohol permitted in beverages is in cider up to one per cent.

DESPONDENT OVER STATE'S GOING DRY, HE KILLS HIMSELF

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 29.—W. H. Suter, a local liquor dealer, committed suicide today at Ocean View. Despondency over the business outlook with the state on the eve of going dry, is given as the cause of the act by friends. Mr. Suter shot himself in the left temple and lived but a few minutes.

ONE KILLED; TWO INJURED

Fatal Automobile Accident Takes Place Near Edenton, N. C.

Edenton, N. C., Oct. 29.—In an automobile accident near here at noon today, Augustus Hughes, a well known general merchant, was instantly killed, Julian Braddle was seriously injured, and Hayward Hughes lost an eye.

Augustus Hughes was driving the car and going at a rapid rate of speed, when the machine skidded into a ditch and turned over. The driver's neck was broken.

FRANCE ANXIOUS TO TRADE WITH AMERICA

Business Interests Ready to Consider Any Proposal.

Members of American Industrial Commission Return From Two Months' Tour—Made a Visit Near The "Front".

New York, Oct. 29.—Business interests of France are anxious to do everything in their power to promote trade relations with the United States and are ready to consider any proposals which might be made from this side, according to a report made by members of the American Industrial Commission who arrived here today on the steamship Philadelphia from Liverpool, following a two months visit to France. The commission was organized under the auspices of the American Manufacturer's Export Association to return the visit of a like commission of French interests made in the United States last winter.

Members of the American commission was made up of leading manufacturing and exporting companies of this country.

Edward V. Douglass, secretary of the commission, said the party was treated with every courtesy while in France.

"We went to the front," Mr. Douglass said, "at least we were close enough to hear the sounds of the bombardment. At Belfort, where we visited October 2, the following day 25 shells fell in the city.

"We talked with David Lloyd-George in Paris and were given a cordial invitation by him to extend our visit to England. In talking with us of trade and commercial matters to follow the war, he stated that it is not planned that Germany shall be put entirely out of the running by the war —that she will have to be considered and dealt witsh in a commercial way, after peace is declared."

A full detailed report of the commission's visit will be made later.

ON SECRET MISSION

Austrian Minister to Mexico On His Way to Washington

San Antonio, Texas, Oct. 29.—Admitting his mission was secret and that he could not discuss at this time, Count Kalman Kania Volkanya, Austro-Hungarian minister to Mexico, passed through here today on his way to Washington. He said he would be in the United States possibly a month and then would return to Mexico. Asked about conditions in Mexico, the Count smiled, and after a moment, replied: "Excellent."

Further than this he would not discuss conditions below the Rio Grande.

CONSCRIPTION DEFEATED?

This is Indicated by the Returns from Election in Australia.

Melbourne, Australia, via London, October 30. — Latest returns in the referendum on compulsory military service show the following results, although still incomplete:

For conscription, 798,000; against conscription, 887,000.

CABRERA DID NOT ISSUE STATEMENT

Declares Mexican News Bureau Acted Without Either His Knowledge or Consent.

TO SIGN ALL STATEMENTS

Gives Notice That He Will Be Responsible Only For Those Above His Signature—Will Instruct News Bureau.

New York, Oct. 29.—Luis Cabrera, chairman of the Mexican-American joint commission, said here today that he did not authorize the statement issued by the Mexican News Bureau in Washington Saturday assailing American officials for alleged laxity in dealing with anti-Carranza propagandists along the border.

"The statement purporting to be from me, was not issued by me or given out with my knowledge or consent," Mr. Cabrera said. "All statements issued, or which I may issue, will appear signed by me."

Regardless of what his personal attitude may be, the Mexican commissioners said he would not, in view of his official position, issue a statement of the character of that of the news bureau while negotiations were pending between the two governments. He declared that the bureau would be instructed not to give out further statements as coming from him unless they bore his signature.

A representative of the news bureau conferred with the Mexican members of the joint body in Atlantic City recently, Mr. Cabrera added, and probably carried back with him to Washington the impression that the Mexican commissioners were of the opinion that the United States should adopt a firmer attitude toward anti-Carranza propagandists.

THREATENED FRICTION HAS APPARENTLY CLEARED AWAY

Washington, October 29. — What promised to be a new source of serious friction between the United States and the de facto government of Mexico apparently was cleared away tonight, through formal repudiation by Eliseo Arredondo, Mexican ambassador designate, of a statement issued here yesterday under the name of Luis Cabrera, assailing the American government for permitting aid to reach Villa and other bandits from its side of the border.

Mr. Arredondo will go to the State Department tomorrow with the explanation that the statement was put out by an employee of the Mexican News Bureau, the defacto government's semi-official publicity agency, without the knowledge or consent of either the embassy or Mr. Cabrera. Department officials said tonight this would be accepted and would be regarded as closing the incident.

While at the department, Mr. Arredondo says, on special instructions from his government, he will deny also the authenticity of what it is understood will purport to be quotations from General Carranza, General Obregon, the Mexican war minister, and General Pablo Gonzales, commander of the forces in Mexico City, reflecting strong anti-American sentiments, which are expected to appear tomorrow in an American weekly magazine. Information reaching the embassy recently concerning the magazine article caused an exchange of messages with Mexico City, and brought the ambassador authority to repudiate them in advance.

Until word of Mr. Arredondo's action and of Mr. Cabrera's repudiation at New York came to them tonight, the heads of the State Department had taken a most serious view of the statement attributed to Cabrera, who, besides being Carranza's minister of finance, is chairman of the Mexican group of the joint committee now sitting at Atlantic City, N. J. The general feeling was that if the statement was authentic the usefulness of the commission would be destroyed and consequences of the most undesirable character might result.

How the statement originated has been the subject of much speculation, and apparently has narrowed down to a question of veracity between Mr. Cabrera and the member of the news bureau staff who gave it to the press. The bureau, set up some time ago with G. F. Weeks, formerly a press censor for the Carranza government at Mexico City, at its head, has been regarded as the semi-official mouthpiece of the embassy. The employee who issued yesterday's statement was George F. Edmunds, publicity representative of the embassy until the bureau was organized. Edmunds asserts that the statement was dictated to him at Atlantic City by Cabrera, who authorized him to make it public. Weeks tonght telegraphed Cabrera, disclaiming responsibility for the action.

The appearance of the statement created consternation at the embassy. Mr. Arredondo promptly had a conference with Mr. Cabrera over the long distance telephone. Later he explained that the bureau had prepared and issued without authority the statement as a result of remarks made by Cabrera Friday to a representative of the bureau. He said Cabrera made no unpleasant references to the American government, and, moreover, was not expecting his remarks to be quoted.

STEAMER ANGELIKE TORPEDOED.

Was Conveying Volunteers to Saloniki, Says Athens Dispatch.

London, October 29. — The steamer Angelike, conveying volunteers to Saloniki, has been torpedoed at Fleves, says a Reuter dispatch from Athens today.

No steamer of this name is listed in available shipping records.

IN THE REALM OF SPORTS

Every Variety of Football Afforded

MANY SPECTACULAR FEATURES MARKED SATURDAY'S GAMES IN THE EAST—NEW METHODS MUST BE USED.

New York, Oct. 29.—Football of every variety, from mediocre to superlative, marked the week-end contests of Eastern teams, and not in many years has a single day developed such a remarkable series of spectacular features. In a general way it was evident that two or three weeks more will be necessary before the elevens reach their top form for the more crucial contests.

One development of the day's play was the demonstration that no team, however big or powerful, can hope to win from a rival of reasonable strength with an attack based entirely on the old school methods of advancing the ball. In a broad view of Saturday's contests will be seen that almost without exception the team which showed an attack equally divided between line plunging and skirting, coupled with a perfect overhead offense, was the only one which emerged the victor.

In several cases competing elevens failed to play up to the form expected, particularly Cornell, which went down before Harvard by a surprisingly one-sided score. With one of the biggest and most powerful teams that has entered the Cambridge stadium in many seasons and with the wagering 5 to 4 in their favor, the Ithaca players failed completely to live up to the expectations of their supporters.

Outclassed by individual and machine play, Cornell never seriously threatened Harvard, the Cambridge first and second string men working with individual dash and team harmony completely lacking in the Ithaca eleven.

Next to the Harvard-Cornell game chief interest centered in the play of Princeton and Yale and while both teams came through to victory, the showing of the Tigers was not by any means as convincing as that of the Elis. Princeton managed to win from Dartmouth by the margin of four points but it was due to the prowess of an individual player. As a team the Hanover eleven was the better and the Tiger offense and defense were far from what must be developed if Princeton is to win from its New Haven and Cambridge rivals.

Yale, on the other hand, showed a continuance of the gradual improvement and in defeating Washington and Jefferson decisively, the Blue made marked progress. Yale, while holding the visitors to two touchdowns and an aerial attack, piled up more than double that score with an offense that embraced both the running and overhead methods of advancing the ball.

The gridiron juggernaut, built up at the University of Pittsburg, rolled over Pennsylvania without being seriously threatened at any time. The Quakers were unable to cope with the speed and all-round superiority of the Panthers, although showing a fighting spirit that promises much for the future.

Both the Army and Navy teams found little difficulty in disposing of Villa Nova and Georgia, respectively, their opponents being hardly in the same gridiron with the soldiers and sailors.

The invasion of the Middle West by Syracuse and Tufts resulted in an even break at the end of the day's play while Michigan won from the Orange eleven, Indiana fell before the New Englanders. Michigan showed that it has another squad of fighters by turning defeat into victory in the closing minutes of play by the use of several of Coach Lost's sensational open field plays.

Southern Leaders Retain Positions

RECEIVE NO SET-BACKS IN THE RACE FOR THE INTERCOLLEGIATE TITLE—VANDERBILT IN GOOD WAY TO WIN

Atlanta, Oct. 29.—Leading aspirants for the Southern Intercollegiate football championship came through Saturday's games with their standing unimpaired, and the 26 to 6 victory of Vanderbilt over Virginia is taken by many to indicate that the Nashville eleven has an excellent chance to win the title.

Georgia Tech avoided defeat by tying, 7 to 7, with Washington and Lee; the strong Auburn team had a narrow escape from defeat at the hands of the Mississippi A. and M., and Georgia, though it has not lost to a Southern eleven this season, made a weak showing against the Navy, losing 27 to 3. Louisiana State was eliminated from the race by Sewanee.

During the next four weeks the undefeated elevens in this section will be engaged for the most part in games among themselves. The schedule is virtually divided into two sections with the Alabama-Sewanee game at Birmingham next week and the Auburn-Vanderbilt contest in Birmingham, November 18, as the connecting links. Vanderbilt Tennessee and Sewanee comprise the Northern group, with Georgia, Auburn, Alabama, and Georgia Tech in the Southern section.

The good condition of players was shown yesterday by the comparatively small number of substitutions and the total absence of reports of serious injury. The stellar individual performances of the day were credited to Curry, Floyd and Cody, of Vanderbilt; Green of Alabama; A. Hatcher, of Tennessee, Strupper of Georgia Tech and Youn of Washington and Lee. Curry's brilliant runs coupled with several long runs by Floyd, and Cody's two field goals contributed largely to Vanderbilt's victory over Virginia, while to Creen went much of the credit of Alabama's 27 to 0 score against Mississippi. Hatcher's punting in the Tennessee Florida battle probably was the most notable performance of its kind in the South, his kicks frequently going for as much as eighty yards. Strupper and Young had much to do with scoring the two touchdowns in the Washington and Lee-Georgia Tech game.

The close call Mississippi A. & M. gave Auburn was a surprise to many. Full Back Schwill, of the Mississippi team, gave the Plainsmen their greatest scare when in the second period he booted a field goal and for a few minutes had his team in the lead. The old Auburn drive was immediately started, however, and Stickney soon scored the winning touchdown.

Georgia's performance against the Navy was unexpectedly weak. Coach Cunningham had several regulars out of the line up and many believe took no chances of injuries to men who might prove valuable later in the Southern championship race.

FRANCE ACCEPTS RODIN'S WORKS; PROVIDES HOME.

August Rodin's gift of his works and art collections to the French nation had to be accepted by a vote of Parliament, as the condition on which the gift is made exacts that the sculptor is to have the Biron mansion, which is to be the home of the Rodin Museum, as his personal property for life. As this condition means a llenating property of the State (although only for a time) a law was necessary. The bill was drawn up and laid before the Chamber. M. Simyan, who piloted it through the House, in his report on the bill, stated that the Rodin Museum will contain 56 works in marble, [illegible] bronze, 193 plaster casts and 1,500 drawings by Rodin.

"GAINED SO MUCH ON TANLAC I GOT LARGER CLOTHES"

Says Wife of Employee of City of Wilmington. "My Friends Certainly Have Noticed a Change in Me," Mrs. M. E. Porter Tells.

"Why, just think of it, I have gained so much on Tanlac that I had to buy larger clothes," Mrs. M. E. Porter, of 1211 Castle street, and whose husband is in the employ of the city, explained enthusiastically to the Tanlac Man.

"If any one has reason to be thankful for Tanlac, I am certainly that person," Mrs. Porter continued. "People suffering from indigestion can realize some of the following sufferings I endured—biliousness and sick headaches, spells of dizziness after which everything seemed to turn black before me, the heavy laying of food in the stomach and dull, aching pains. I also was bothered with an itching sensation and would become swollen. In the mornings I would awaken with an awful taste in my mouth. If I ate apples I would have to loosen my clothing soon afterwards and lie down for a while. My complexion was bad.

"But, since taking Tanlac, I am no longer troubled with indigestion and enjoy eating now. Biliousness, headaches, itching and swelling troubles have all disappeared. I am in better shape and feel better in every way than I have for a long time. I have gained a great deal, so much so that my old clothes are too small. Tanlac is the best medicine I have ever taken and will do all that is claimed for it. My friends certainly have noticed a change in me," Mrs. Porter smiled in conclusion.

Genuine Tanlac is sold in Wilmington by the Bellamy Drug Store; Acme, Acme Store Co.; Burgaw, C. L. Halstead; Southport, Watson's Pharmacy; Rocky Point, A. N. Rhodes & Co.; Supply, G. W. Kirby; New Bern, Bradham Drug Co.; Magnolia, W. L. Southall; Faison, Faison Drug Co.; Pembroke, G. W. Locklear; Snow Hill, J. T. H. Harper; Vineland, R. B. McRoy & Co.; Whiteville, J. A. McNeill & Son; Verona, G. W. Humphrey. Each town has its Tanlac dealer.—adv.

W. L. I. NEEDS MORE RECRUITS

All Coast Artillery Companies of State Must Each Have 109 Men by July, 1917—Return from Hike.

In view of the fact that orders have recently been received by the State authorities from the War Department that after July 1, 1917, each of the six coast artillery companies of the State must be recruited to 109 men and three officers, the Wilmington Light Infantry which belongs to this branch of the service and which returned to the city yesterday afternoon from a hike to and short encampment at "Vineyard" on the Cape Fear, is very anxious to obtain a score or more additional men as quickly as it can do so.

A vigorous recruiting campaign is already under way and a number of new emn have joined the W. L. I., but still more men are needed. Under the new army re-organization law, each Guardsman will be entitled to about $50 a year if he attends 48 drill periods during that year. In order to get this pay, however, the attendance at each drill must be not less than 60 per cent of the enrolled strength. While an effort is being made to reach all eligible men, the recruiting party hopes that those who are eligible instead of waiting to be called upon will make application on their own initiative.

A score or more members of the W. L. I. under the command of Capt. Jas. B. Lynch and Lieut. Edw. H. Holmes left the city Saturday afternoon and camped over night at a point about five miles down the river. Shortly after midnight they were joined by a second detachment under the command of Lieut. Owen C. Fillyaw. Upon reaching their destination dog tents were set up, and as a wagon with rations had preceded them, their camp fires were soon lighted and good supper prepared. The following day was spent in maneuvers, picket duty and "battle" practice. Camp was broken about the middle of the afternoon and the members of the company marched back to the city up the Federal Point road.

U-BOAT MADE RESCUE

Took Swedish Crew Aboard Until They Were Given Safety.

Berlin, Oct. 29. (via Sayville.) — "The Swedish steamer Arvid," says the Overseas News Agency statement today, "foundered near Baumo, during a storm and in spite of the rough sea, a German submarine rescued the crew and took them on board until they could be placed aboard the schooner Golden Gate."

SECOND SHIP FROM ICELAND BRINGS CARGO TO NEW YORK

New York, October 29.— What is said to be the second ship from Iceland to reach American shores since the days of Lief, the Lucky, 1,000 years ago, arrived at this port today, when the little steamer Godafoss docked with a cargo of skins and herring. She brought 37 farmers from Iceland, who will settle in the Canadian northwest.

New York, October 29. — The Prohibition national candidates, J. Frank Hanly and Ira Landrith, spent Sunday quietly here, and will resume their tour westward tomorrow. Meetings will be held in New Jersey and Pennsylvania tomorow.

BELL-ANS
Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.

SPLENDID UNION MEETING

Pastors and Representative Laymen of Wilmington Baptist Association Meet at Wrightsboro.

Plans for greater efficiency in church work were discussed in detail at the union meeting for the Wilmington Baptist Association which was held at Wrightsboro on Saturday and Sunday, closing last night with a helpful sermon by Rev. E. L. Weston, of Burgaw. The attendance at the sessions was unusually good and the addresses and sermons of a high order.

One of the very enjoyable features of the meeting was the serving of dinner on each day at the church. The local members entertained the visitors in a royal style with their gracious hospitality.

Mr. George E. Leftwich, moderator for nine years of the Wilmington association, presided at the sessions and conducted yesterday afternoon a great Sunday School mass meeting at which interesting and instructive addresses were made by Messrs. L. W. Moore, J. W. Hollis and L. Larkins, all of whom are superintendents of thriving Sunday Schools.

Following devotional exercises by Rev. W. B. Rivenbark, pastor of the Wrightsboro Baptist church, the morning session yesterday was featured by helpful addresses by Mr. C. Walton Johnson, boys' work secretary of the Wilmington Y. M. C. A., and C. C. Cashwell, Esq. They discussed ways and means of interesting yaung people in church work.

Inspiring addresses were made at the opening session Saturday by Rev. C. V. Brooks, who spoke on the importance of associational efficiency, and by Rev. J. A. Sullivan, who discussed the question of whether or not the men of the church should be organized into unions. Rev. B. C. Early, of Rose Hill, preached a very helpful sermon at the 11 o'clock service.

At the afternoon session Saturday Rev. W. G. Hall, discussed ways of interesting the churches in the "one day's Work for the Orphanage." Rev. A. L. Goodrich and Messrs. D. L. Gore, J. T. Bland and George E. Leftwich discussed the steps necessary to improve the association indifference.

The next union meeting will be held with Shiloh Baptist church, which is located five miles north of Atkinson.

NICARAGUAN REVENUES BEING TAKEN OVER BY AMERICANS

Managua, Nicaragua, Oct. 29.—Americans are taking over the management of all the internal revenues of Nicaragua.

A dispatch from Managua, October 1, said it was reported American bankers to whom the Nicaraguan government was indebted had notified Nicaragua that it must liquidate the indebtedness by October 15 or that otherwise they would take over sufficient of the country's revenues to reimbuse them.

MEETING CALLED TO DISCUSS GENERAL RAILROAD SITUATION

Washington, October 29.—A call for a special meeting of the National Council of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States in Washington on November 17 and 18, was announced today by the chamber's headquarters. The chief topic of discussion will be the railroad situation generally and particularly the work of the joint congressional railroad inquiry committee, which opens its hearings November 20.

Little Rock, Ark., Oct. 29.—John Sebastian Little, 65 years old, former governor of Arkansas and former Congressman from this state, died here today.

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$10,000,000 RELIEF FUND.

Project Undertaken for Relieving Jewish War Sufferers.

New York, October 29. — What was said to be the largest charitable project ever undertaken was started here today when it was announced that a campaign to raise $10,000,000 in 1917 for Jewish war sufferers in Europe had been begun by the joint distribution committee. This will be in addition to $6,000,000 which already has been expended.

London, Oct. 29.—Lloyds' announces that the Danish steamer Sif, of 105 tons gross and the Russian three-masted schooner Ingersoll, of 239 tons, have been sunk.

..—Harto Jones, a young white man, was arrested shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday morning by the police on a warrant charging assault with deadly weapon on one, Chas. Linkwish. It is alleged that Jones pointed a pistol at the latter and threatened to shoot him. The two men had had some words, it is understood. Jones was locked up at the police station and will face the Recorder this morning.

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THEATRICAL

In presenting McLeod and Lorraine's Isle of Roses Company for the week at the Victoria beginning this afternoon, the management confidently believes they have booked on the greatest all-star aggregations of musical comedy stars playing at popular prices the present season.

McLeod and Lorraine have gathered together an all-star aggregation of musical comedy stars who present one of the biggest shows ever seen for the money anywhere. They present a reportoire of brand new musical comedy plays, all with big reputations in the big cities, just slightly cut in length to get into the specified programme time at the Victoria. They feature a big singing and dancing chorus that is composed of all pretty girls, and nifty costumes.

But the biggest attraction are their two featured vaudeville acts, "The Steinway Trio" of harmony singers, the most enjoyable vaudeville feature that has been to the Victoria this season without a double, and Master Buddie McLeod, the five-year-old tenor singing wonder. Master Buddie presents the late song hits just like a seasoned veteran of the vaudeville stage, and the audience will listen to him in amazement and wonder.

In order that Wilmington amusement lovers may get an introduction to this all-star aggregation, ladies will be admitted free tonight under the usual conditions—when accompanied by the holder of a thirty-cent ticket.

Great Feature at the Grand

It is no small task for a young Scotch girl, just arrived from the old country, to go into an American lumber camp and win the affectionate regard of the rough men. That is the task when Jean MacGregor faced in the Famous Players production, "The Daughter of MacGregor," in which Valentine Grant is being featured on the Paramount Programme.

Jean has run away from home after a serious disagreement with her father and, after earning enough money to get to America, has discovered that the uncle whom she depended upon for assistance is an old bear who refuses to help her in the least—except to get her a job in his cook tent with instructions to the chef to give her all the work possible! So Jean bit her lip and proceeded to battle her way into the hearts of those lumbermen, appealing to some through their sense of humor and to others by her unlimited courage.

When things came to pass that Jean actually captured the crook who had been stealing hundreds and hundreds of feet of lumber from the camp, there was nothing in all that camp that the Scotch lassie could not commandeer, from her uncle to the chef. But just when everything seems to be working out so smoothly for Jean, there came a very bitter blow. But this is getting ahead of the story—it's all told in today's great Paramount feature at the Grand.

"The Market of Vain Desire."

He was a young clergyman and she an American heiress. Her mother wanted the girl to marry a count for his title and position and the count wanted to marry her for her American dollars, so a match was planned that would have wrecked the happiness of their lives. Should a young girl consider matrimony for the sake of a title?

H. B. Warner and Clara Williams, those two brilliant Triangle stars who have been placed in these positions in "The Market of Vain Desire," one of the greatest Triangle dramas of the year to be presented today at the Royal.

It's a question of deep interest to every motion picture patron, whether young or old. A father or mother will put their daughter in the place of the girl on the screen, or a daughter will consider what she would do under the same circumstances.

The number of American girls who sell themselves or are sold by scheming mothers merely for the sake of a title or foreign position is ever increasing. Nine times out of ten the girls repent in later years and look back with sorrow at their happy youth. Whose fault was it? H. B. Warner had to take a mighty radical step to convince the girl and her mother that they were making a big mistake. Few men would have dared to do what he accomplished.

But when you see this great drama today you will think he did right!

The big extra feature today, Florence Rose Fashions bids fair to be the most popular innovation for the ladies ever presented in motion pictures.

Seventh Chapter of "Liberty."

At the Bijou today you have the extreme enjoyment of witnessing the seventh great and thrilling chapter of that great all-star serial wonder, "Liberty—A Daughter of the U. S. A.," in which Marie Walcamp and those daring co-stars of hers are making such spectacular records all over America.

The preparedness and patriotic spirit of America has responded to the foresight of the Universal company when they produced this great serial of the hour, and never in the history of film serials has one taken like wild fire to such an extent as this great serial has.

The reason is plain. It is absolutely the one biggest serial of thrills and spectacular action yet presented, and leaves no one for a single minute with a let-up in its thrilling ation. All the way through, in today's great seventh chapter, there are thrilling scenes galore and some of the most daredevil stunts ever performed for a movie camera.

There are other big features, too. "A Precious Parcel" is the latest great Vim comedy scream, which is on today's bill at the Bijou, and then there's a tense and exciting Biograph drama, "The Man From Town" and you know what that name "Biograph" tacked onto any picture means.

"The Girl He Couldn't Buy."

"The Girl He Couldn't Buy," which comes highly recommended, will be seen at the Academy of Music tonight.

The management pride themselves on presenting only the brightest and cleanest of plays and in this, their latest offering, they seem to have struck the keynote of popular fancy. "The Girl He Couldn't Buy" abounds in strong situations and laughable comedy, in fact, it is claimed to have more hearty laughs than a dozen musical comedies. A splendid acting company will present this new sensational success. Prices are 50 cents, 75 cents and $1.00. Tickets are on sale at Elvington's Pharmacy.

The Smart Set.

The Smart Set Co., the big colored company, are said to be all clever actors, fun-makers, good singers and dancers, and will appear at the Academy tomorrow. From information received from our exchanges our theatre-going people can rely on witnessing a bright, sparkling, refined musical comedy, containing the best singing, dancing and many amusing situations, devoid of the slightest trace of anything to offend. It is also highly commended for its quick action, as there is nothing dragging or tedious about it for it goes along with a hearty vim from the rise to the fall of the curtain. It is undoubtedly a meritorious attraction and should be liberally patronized. The Smart Set Company will give a special matinee, at which time school children will be admitted for 15 cents. Adults 25 cents and 50 cents. The night prices will be 50 cents, 75 cents and $1.00. Tickets are selling at Elvington's Pharmacy for both performances.

Must Watch Small Boys.

One of the banes of a special officer, doing police duty with a circus, is the insistent inquisitiveness of the small boy of the town. With a determination that should eventually land him in a bank president's chair or some other equally enviable position, the curiously inclined street urchin, less fortunate perhaps than his companions in having someone to take him to the show, will linger for hours around that big "white top" until the opportunity is afforded to make a quick "sneak" under the canvas sidewall of the tent and explore the mysteries and charms within, so wonderfully fascinating to his juvenile mind.

It is the watching, detection and apprehension of these curious minded youngsters that proves the most tedious task of all the duties performed by the detective department of the John Robinson Shows, of which Col. George Godfrey is the supreme head. The little street Arab will stand about, gazing at the big tent with the most gawky and innocent sort of a look until the attention of zealous and faithful circus officer happens to be attracted in another direction and then with the speed of a frightened ground squirrel going into his subterranean retreat, the small boy disapears under the canvas. When the circus guardian looks about again, the lad is not in sight. The officer is "wise." He knows where the youngster has gone, but what on earth is the use of attempting to find the little chap in the midst of hundreds of other children of his same size and general appearance? Besides while searching for that one little miscreant, perhaps a dozen others would be finding their way into the tent in exactly the same manner.

Under the watchful eyes of Colonel Godfrey and his plainclothes sleuths, co-operating with the local police department, visitors to the John Robinson Shows, which come to Wilmington on November 6th, may expect to be very well guarded.

VALENTINE GRANT
Beautiful Star of "The Daughter of MacGregor," Today's Paramount Feature at the Grand.

One of the features of the John Robinson Shows which come to Wilmington on Monday, November 6th, will be the acting animals of various kinds.

H. B. Warner, Starring In Triangle Feature, "The Market of Vain Desire."
At the Royal Today.

WILSON DAY AT WARSAW

Maron Butler Witnesses Parade Headed By Brass Band.

(Special Star Correspondence)

Warsaw, Oct. 29.—Woodrow Wilson, Day was celebrated here today with a parade headed by a brass band, through the principal streets of the town. The Democrats exhibited much enthusiasm, while Hon. Marion Butler as a spectator viewed the celebration.

The straw vote taken by the Rexall Drug store of this town, showed 50 votes for Wilson and one for Hughes, today.

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Crepe de chine silks, all colors, including evening shades, 36 in. wide; special, yard $1.19

$1.75 taffeta silks, in fancy designs, plaids and stripes, ribbon stripes of contrasting colors, 36 inches wide, very special at, yard $1.59

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TOP O' THE MORNING.

I find as I journey on in life that Christians may be divided pretty generally into two classes, one of which does not study the Bible, and in consequence makes no definite progress in the spiritual life from year to year, while the other class feeds daily upon the Word of God and grows in stature in the knowledge and wisdom of God.

—HOWARD A. KELLY, M. D.

Whi Lie, the San Francisco Chinaman, ought to know why.

"I mean what I say", says Judge Hughes. Bedad, what of it, since every thing he says is mean?

Europe's war has been carried on in three continents of the earth, but men from every continent are taking a hand in the fight.

This week is the last go round of the campaign. Several mares' nests with dodo eggs in them will be discovered this week.

The silk petticoat, endless chain swindle has been successfully pulled off again. This shows that a new crop of suckers has gotten ripe during the past few years.

Unless we will we won't. We can if we will. Of course, we can't if we won't. How can we, if we do not have the will, the purpose, the determination and the initiative?

The South may be pried out of the saddle on Tuesday of next week but, if so, no true patriotic Southerner will be caught with his hands on the prise. You can warrant that.

During the campaign, the Republicans have appealed to sectionalism, prejudice, hysteria and hate. They have played the game just as if they believe what Barnum said.

If we were to get behind pay roll propositions like we do some undertakings that call for outgo and no income, we would be doing practical work for Wilmington. When Wilmington becomes a large industrial city, she can get nearly everything she wants.

It is stated that a cold glass of bear caused the death of an over-heated sales manager in Brooklyn. Of course, it is not worth while to suspect that being overheated had much to do with it, but, at the same time, sales managers should be careful about becoming overheated.

The speeches Roosevelt is delivering these days ought to prove very effective vote winners for Wilson among patriotic, self-respecting, fair-minded, justice-loving, intelligent American citizens. A man ought to have more respect for himself than to let intelligent people know that he is influenced against Wilson in the slightest by what Rough Rider Teddy says.

Senator Hansbrough, of North Dakota, and Victor Murdock, of Kansas, two strong Western Republicans, have come out on the winning side and are giving some strong reasons why Americans should be too patriotic to permit Wilson to be defeated by a candidate who never yet has said what he will do for the country if he is elected. A vote for Hughes is a vote for Roosevelt and his fly-up-the-creek ideas.

Republicans demanded national preparedness, but they are now kicking about the cost of it. This is a sign that they fear the Democrats are going to carry the country. If the Republicans thought they were going to get into power so they could spend that money, they would be overjoyed. Should they carry the country, the country will get very little preparedness for its money. Their enormous expenditures for our little navy and army are proof of it.

HOLDING THE BAG FOR GEORGE

There is untold wealth in our forest resources but not for us, if we simply permit them to be drawn upon for raw material to supply industries in the North and West, as we did, for instance, when we permitted the red cedar on Smith's Island to be cut and shipped away to make wealth in some distant center of manufacture. We had better let our rich resources lie idle than to have them sapped and carted away to manufacturing centers. No country which produces raw materials ever has become so rich as that country which takes those raw materials and converts them into the finished manufactures, in which the real wealth lies.

There are opportunities for us in our own resources of production, but if we won't see them and avail ourselves of them we will see George come along with a sack and get the corn while we act as the innocent by-standers and get the shucks. Too many Southern communities go right on inviting George to do it. They are too anxious for the other fellow somewhere else to come and get the cream while they are content to get the bluejohn.

What good do our resources do us if we do not utilize them ourselves? The other fellow comes and gets the wealth and carries it off and the money and the dividents go "somewhere" to manufacturedom. We never will profit much as distributors of raw materials, but it is time for us to realize that they are ours and that they were put here for us—if we only knew it.

Our largest opportunities in Wilmington are in the manufacture of the great abundance of our various kinds of raw materials. If we will only enlarge our view we will see it and when we do so it will quit being dull. Unless we do, we won't do much for Wilmington except imagine we are doin it by talking somebody else into doing it.

There isn't much in it for us to invite the wealth getters to come on and get it. We surely ought to see it first. If we don't and can't see it, why not? Old man George might come along and do it, but he carries a bag that he fills for himself. Why should we hold the bag for George? How many times has George left us holding the bag? How many times have we "got left" holding the bag?

HOW WE FEEL THE WAR BURDEN

The high cost of living grinds us as well as other people, but it is more than a gentle reminder to us that war is what Sherman said it was. We fully expected to pay war prices for something to eat when 20,000,000 men in Europe stopped work to fight. They have to eat and their fighting life causes them to wear out a suit of clothes every three months, if not oftener, and the cost of feeding and clothing those costly fighters is a burden upon everybody in the world.

Besides that, we are keeping up an American army of 200,000 men ourselves. They have stopped producing anything and we are feeding and clothing them while they are doing guard duty for us. We would rather see them doing guard duty than fighting and getting killed, but even if the high cost of living is tough on us, the hardships and dangers of our men who are doing guard duty for us is proof enough that they are having a tougher time than we are. While we are at home making money, they are earning nothing as soldiers compared to what they could earn at home.

The cost of living is terrible in the United States, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, Argentina and Brazil, because the armies in Europe are being fed on what we ought to have to eat ourselves. The Europe's belligerents are taking every bushel of wheat and every pound of meat and every pound of cotton they can get. Therefore, the flour, the meat and the cotton clothes and whatever else we buy is subject to the price tax put upon everything by a world war which has upset the entire economic equilibrium of the people engaged in war as well as those of us here who are helping to bear the burden for the millions who are idle on the battle fronts, except as to the fighting and dying, of course.

This living condition here is just what we expected when the war broke out in August, 1914. War never fools anybody at any time and such a war as the world now has includes every one of us in the scope of its ruinous and disastrous effects upon all the world's humanity. That war is costing every soul of us something and many of us are having a hard time in paying our part of the penalty of war. No man can hide from the effects of war anywhere on the face of God's green earth.

THE ARMOURS ARE FORWARD LOOKING FOR SURE

The establishment of a packing house at Jacksonville by the Armour Packing Company is being commented upon throughout the entire United States. The recent celebration of the completion of the Armour plant is getting more publicity for Jacksonville than could be bought from Northern and Southern publications for all the money invested in Jacksonville's packing house. Especially is Florida papers rejoicing over the fact that there will be an Armour packing establishment on the South Atlantic coast. Thus the Tampa Times refers to it:

"When the big packing plant of the Armours was recently opened in Jacksonville, with 20,000 people celebrating the event, the beginning of a long-cherished dream of the Times in behalf of Florida was marked, and it is our hope and belief that within two or three years packing houses of equal size will be located in Tampa, Pensacola, Miami and other cities of the state. The growing demand for meats, combined with the increase of interest in cattle breeding in Florida, makes the establishment of these packing houses within the state a necessity and the attention of trade boards and individual developers should be centered to a great degree, upon the work of interesting this big packer in this section particularly."

The St. Augustine Record says:

"In its last issue the Kissimmee Valley Gazette tells of the dipping of fifteen hundred and sixty head of cattle preparatory to their shipment to Texas. These cattle came from the Lake Okeechobee prairies and are said to be in prime condition. Such transportation as this ought to establish beyond question the wonderful possibilities Florida offers to the raiser of stock. The recent opening of a packing plant in Jacksonville by the big Armour concern is another indication of the importance attached to this state as a cattle country where the industry can be profitably developed. The Armour plant in Florida is one of the most valuable assets that has come this way in a long time. Co-operation between all interested ought to be productive of splendid results."

The Mobile (Ala.) Register sees this in the establishment of a packing house at Jacksonville:

"Outsiders have not thought of Florida as a cattle and hog producing state. Rather she has been in their mind as the home of oranges and grapefruit, or pineapple and guava, of lettuce and radishes. Her principal source of revenue has seemed to be tourist travel and phosphate rock. Of general farming next to nothing has been heard. But now we are disillusioned by this important exent. Jacksonville is the home of the packing house, and to that live and enterprising city Florida owes "the beginning of her rise as a cattle raising state." May the beginning be the augury of a great agricultural movement."

The really significant part of it is that the greatest packing concern in the world has foreseen the great possibilities in the livestock industry in the South. The fact that they have established a plant on the South Atlantic is the plainest sort of evidence that they consider that the time is ripe for the packing house industry in the South. That is the reason they built one at Jacksonville. Can't we see as far ahead as the Armour Packing Company does?

THE YOUNG MEN AND THEIR STATE

The future of North Carolina lies in the hands of her young men. Aye, the Good Old North State's very near future lies in the hands of those young men who are to cast their first vote next week. Their vote will decide the contest in many of the States, and it really may decide the Presidency itself. The ballot, therefore, is a sacred thing in the hands of the new voters and surely they should take their citizenship with more than usual seriousness at this time. To a large extent this is a young man's election, for the President to be chosen will still be in office at Washington when many of the young men in North Carolina will be taking very prominent parts in the business, civic and political affairs of their State. Many young North Carolinians are beginning their citizenship on the right line, just as those of New Bern are doing, according to this from the Sun-Journal:

"The young Democrats of New Bern are now organized and are going to put forth some mighty efforts for the party between now and election day and their work is going to result in real good. Young blood is always in demand and we are more than glad that the young men of the city have taken up arms in defense of the party and Woodrow Wilson and we predict that they are going to do great things. The Young Men's Democratic Club of this city, will not be a temporary organization, it will be permanent and even after the present campaign has ended, their influence will be felt."

North Carolina depends on her young men today. They are not only running the State now but they are running Wilmington. This is the young man's day. He is on deck, and the fate of all of us is in his hands. What will he do with it?

Roosevelt says that when he was president he spoke softly and carried a big stick. He didn't fool anybody with his soft speech, nor did he bluff anybody with his big stick. His little mix-up with Japan showed that his big stick was mostly imagination. He boasts about the time he sent the American navy around the world but the Europeans boast that their ships carried the coal and provisions which kept the ships going. Had they sailed away Roosevelt's navy would have stranded on the other side of the world. What kind of a war could his navy have carried on while it had no colliers of its own to enable it to stay out at sea? The whole of Europe stuffed its fist in its mouth to keep from laughing at Teddy's naval demonstration, when the American ships were followed in all seas by coal laden foreign ships bearing every flag that floats in Europe. Part of that ridiculous naval demonstration was made under foreign flags, instead of its being an all American demonstration. Nevertheless, Teddy thinks he played—Oh, well what's the use?

Of course, Republicans are displeased with the Democratic tariff law, because it was made in the interest of the people. However, the Republicans have a right to object to the people's tariff because the people not only objected to the infamous Payne-Aldrich-Smoot Republican tariff but they put it clear out of business. Two-third of the Republicans joined the Progressives and helped to do it. We don't want any tariff law enacted by Republicans, so we prefer most any Democratic tariff to a Republican tariff which invariably robs the people to enrich special interests worth millions already. If we can't trust the Democrats for an equitable tariff, the Republicans certainly can't expect us to want them to exploit us again. The Republican party is a worse bugaboo than all the alleged mistakes in the Democratic tariff.

A CALL TO PATRIOTS

To the Editor of The Star:

The time is drawing near, November 7th will soon be past history. The die will be cast and the fate of the greatest Nation on earth will be known. The American people are today facing a crisis, one that has no parallel since the Nation's birth. We are at present enjoying all that a people could desire. "A land of plenty, flowing with milk and honey;" crops good, farmers satisfied, cotton roosting around 20 cents, and other things in proportion. The city folks, kicking on the high cost of living, are at the same time living higher and better than ever before, and receiving better wages, which offsets the advanced prices. Factories running overtime, railroads cannot handle business on account of shortage of cars, more money on deposit in the banks and building and loan associations and easier for the average man to get. Big Business and Little Business both doing well and thriving. The North crying for laborers and the negroes leaving to be used for that and other purposes, by carloads.

Only one Republican that I know of is complaining—here in Wilmington. He told me Wilson had put him out of business—the tariff was the cause—Canada was shipping lumber into his territory—(Virginia) which forced him to go out of business. I said to him—"If Canada can manufacture lumber, pay the laborer a living wage—then pay the freight on it to Virginia—and under sell you, who was right on the scene, then you had better get out of that business, if you couldn't compete, and go into some other—because Wilson and Democracy was looking after the consumer as well as the jobber and manufacturer." But why talk of what Wilson and the administration has done. We all know. Let's talk about Mr. Hughes a little, and apply his methods to local conditions. Wilmington is called the gateway of North Carolina because of her splendid water facilities. We have been trying for years to get a 30 foot channel to the ocean. River and harbor improvements are going on all the time; the Cape Fear river will soon be open for navigation to Fayetteville; the locks and dams are nearing completion. We have the largest individual cotton exporting firm in the world here (staunch Democrats, too), large cargoes of cotton and fertilizer material plying up and down the old Cape Fear and a half-million dollar Custom House under construction. If elected, Mr. Hughes says the first thing he will do is to cut the River and Harbor Appropriations and close up the "pork barrel." Think of it! A Republican closing up a pork barrel. If he does he will open up a hogshead of some other kind. And if he could cut appropriations, think of the damage to Wilmington and North Carolina, and if he can't then he shouldn't say so. Now let's see the attitude displayed toward the South. When the Republican party was in power they abolished the Southern navy yards and dry docks as far as possible. The Democrats have opened them up again and have planned to enlarge them—which is right? They seem to invite war, or appear to be anxious to fight, and the same old South that they abuse will have to bear the brunt of the fight on sea. Look at the coast we will have to defend, and without the proper navy yards and dry docks how could we do it. The Republicans may not be "too proud to fight" but so far as North Carolina is concerned I am willing to say that 98 per cent of the boys who are on the border today from the Old North State are Democrats.

And I haven't run up with a Hughes or a Roosevelt man yet but what is willing to stay home and let the Wilson boys do the fighting in Mexico.

And suppose we did fight with the army and navy we fell heir to; one that took them forty years to build. Does any reasonable man think that we could have made as good a record as we now can after the Democrats have made an improvement.

Wilson's got a long head—he isn't too proud to fight; he's too sensible to go into war until he can uphold the record of the American people who have never suffered defeat and never will, so long as there is a drop of true American blood in the South.

No, this is not sectionalism. It is just a feeling that every Southern man must have in his breast when he reads of the smallness of Hughes, when he brings it into his campaign. Is the Republican party afraid of the South—afraid to give us navy yards, dry docks, coaling stations, etc.—afraid of the old feeling that is fast fading away but honored and cherished by generations yet unborn, which proved to the world that we were not too proud to fight? If so, let the thought perish, for the South stands today ,ready to fight for the Stars and Stripes, stands ready to cheer the Star Spangled Banner to victory and to the tune of Dixie and Yankee Doodle charge any foe that dares tread upon our rights—when the cause is just and God can look with favor upon it. But not simply to defend the property of a few men who would not fight themselves nor allow their sons to do so; but who for selfish ambition and greed would sacrifice the very flower of our Nation. Wilson is not too proud to fight, and should the time come, and our country goes to war, Woodrow Wilson is the man that could handle the job, as bravely, as fearlessly, as victoriously as he has handled everything else that has fallen to his lot.

Men, think; after this great struggle in Europe they tell us we will need the Republican party, that foreign goods and labor will be dumped upon us, and our business will suffer. Right now, it is time to laugh. Why Europe poor Europe, will not only need everything that they will make, but all that we can sell them. Then all the foreigners in this country can go home and get better jobs helping to reconstruct their own country than we can give them. Therefore American labor will be more in demand, for while they are devoting all their time and energy to reconstruction we must supply them with material and the necessities of life instead of the shoe being on the other foot. Railroads and steamship lines will have all they can do. Manufactories will be crowded with profitable orders, and America will be the greatest Nation on earth, and with the Democrats in power, with Woodrow Wilson to lead them, with our army and navy being increased and developed, as is now being done, what Nation or combination of Nations on earth would dare fight us. We will still be the Nation of Peace and Plenty, the land that flows with milk and honey. Help the cause by donating at least one dollar to the campaign fund and be sure to cast your ballot on November 7th for Woodrow Wilson.

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CURRENT COMMENT.

Labor has no better friend than President Wilson. And if Wilson is defeated by the corporations then labor is going to lose the influence of a most powerful friend. Hughes and the Republican party are the spokesmen for the special interests and are for the few against the many.—Raleigh News and Observer.

It does'nt make much difference whether you like Mr. Godwin or not he can be depended upon to vote right when seriously needed, so every Democrat in the district should support him loyally. As Senator Simmons said here the other day, it is necessary to have Congressmen in sympathy with the Administration, and no chances should be taken along this line. A vote for Godwin is a vote for Wilson, so don't fail to put in one for each.—Cape Fear News.

When a cowboy "pulls leather," he subjects himself to the ridicule of the entire cowboy company. By "pulling leather" is meant holding on to the saddle horn to keep from being thrown off, and the act itself is considered a victory for the broncho. Understanding this, the readers of The Observer may come into a better appreciation of the telegram sent from Wilmington by Buffalo Bill as an answer to what he thinks of the political situation. Buffalo Bill expressed his belief in Wilson's re-election in the somewhat classic language of the men of the plains. "Hughes," he wired, "can't ride Woodrow. He is pulling leather already and will be disqualified." The opinion that Wilson is going to win seems to be growing pretty nearly unanimous.—Charlotte Observer.

DUPLIN TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION HOLDS MEETING AT KENANSVILLE

More Than One Hundred Present—Much Enthusiasm Manifested.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Warsaw, Oct. 29.—The Duplin County Teachers' Association held its annual meeting at Kenansville Saturday with Prof. B. C. Siske, of the Warsaw school, president of the association, in the chair.

The meeting, which was one of the most harmonious since organization, was well atended, more than one hundred teachers of the county being present, and manifesting great enthusiasm.

A special feature was the address by County Superintendent W. H. Wooten on the subject of "General Order and Discipline in the School." He told them it was necessary that the teachers maintain a high standard in their work and school life.

In the election of officers for this year, Prof. B. C. Siske was re-elected president; Prof. Z. D. McWhorter, of Wallace, vice-president ,and Miss Effie Rouse, secretary-treasurer.

All subsequent meetings of the association will be held by townships.

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STAGE THE FINAL ROUND OF DEBATES THIS WEEK

Godwin and McCaskill Come to Wilmington Tonight.

Congressional Candidates Will Discuss the Political Issues in County Court House—Wind Up in Harnett County.

Congressman Hannibal L. Godwin arrived in the city last night to meet his appointment in the joint debate scheduled to be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the county court house in Wilmington between himself and his Republican opponent, A. L. McCaskill, Esq., of Fayetteville. Although this makes the sixth week that Congressman Godwin has been engaged in the joint campaign with the Republican candidate for Congress, speaking frequently twice a day, he is in fine shape and declares that he never felt better in his life.

Congressman Godwin is at the Orton Hotel and will be glad to meet his numerous friends in the city today. He will be on hand tonight at the county court house and will lead off the debate, giving McCaskill the second round in the discussion. The debates in the Sixth have aroused much interest and it is certain that there will be a big audience on hand tonight.

The candidates will finish their canvass in Harnett county. They are scheduled to speak at Duke on Wednesday night at 7 o'clock and Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock are billed to speak at Lillington and on Thursday night at Buie's Creek. Friday afternoon they are to be at Coats and the last debate of the series is to be pulled off at Dunn, Congressman Godwin's home town, Friday night.

Whatever fears the Democrats may have had as to the inroads that McCaskill would make on the normally big majority that the Sixth district will return for Godwin has been dispelled. McCaskill has been unable to win over the big vote he expected to get for going up against the mountain of achievement in the form of constructive legislation to the credit of the Democratic party in the last four years has been too herculean task for even a man of his wit to overcome.

Congressman Godwin's friends feel that he has gained many votes for the Democrats through his speeches and are confident that he will carry every county in the district. His majority this year is expected to be larger than he has ever had during the 10 years he has been in Congress.

But whatever may be the political beliefs or matters of opinion among the Wilmington people as to the results of the election they are promised a variety of argument tonight and without doubt will be out in full force to hear the two men.

ADDRESSED KING'S DAUGHTERS ON JACKSON TRAINING SCHOOL

Mr. John J. Blair Returns From Meeting of Trustees at Durham.

Mr. John J. Blair, superintendent of the Wilmington city schools, returned last night from Durham, where he went the past week to attend a meeting of the trustees of the Jackson Training School, at Concord, of Which he has been a member for several years. The meeting of the trustees was held in connection with the annual convention of the State organization of King's Daughters, which started the movement for the establishment of the school.

Mr. Blair delivered an address at the convention of the King's Daughters on Friday night, in which he told of the splendid work that the school has already accomplished and explained its needs for the future. He was invited to make this address in behalf of the board of trustees of the institution, and was heard by a large and appreciative audience in the First Presbyterian church in that city, where the sessions of the convention were held.

Another cottage was recently completed at the school, which has proven a great help in enabling it to render service to the state, but its need for larger quarters is still urgent. The King's Daughters was among the first organizations in the State to build and equip a cottage for the school.

DELIVERS STRONG ADDRESS

Rev. Dr. White, Of Raleigh, Delivers Forceful Address on Immortality to St. Andrew's Brotherhood

Speaking yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Memorial Hall under the auspices of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Rev. Dr. W. Mc C. White, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Raleigh, delivered a strong address on the subject of "Immortality".

The meeting was featured by a spirited song service in which the Alexander songs were used. The singing of the male choir was led by Mr. F. W. Tremain, while the president of the Brotherhood, Mr. S. A. Haines, presided. The speaker was introduced by Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure.

Dr. White in his treatment of the subject of the immortality of the soul, declared that Christ was and is the only authority on Immortality; that science could never prove it, but that Jesus Christ having risen from the dead could speak with authority of the world beyond.

The speaker referred to the captious questions asked of Christ by the Sadducen scribes as is recorded in 20th Chapter of the Gospels by St. Luke, when they asked concerning a woman who successively married seven brothers as to whose brother she would be in the resurrection, and how Christ had brushed aside their doubts by answering that, "The sons of this world marry and are given in marriage: but they that are accounted worthy to attain that world, and the resurrection from the dead, neither marry nor are given in marriage: for neither can they die any more: for they are equal unto the angels; and are sons of God, being sons of the resurrection." The minister closed his address with a forceful plea to his hearers to prepare for the immortality which lies beyond the grave.

WHY SO MANY GO TO CHURCH

Rev. M. T. Plyler Declares That Men Do Not Seek Entertainment at Divine Services.

That the church is not attended because of anything it offers in the way of entertainment, the spectacular or literary or aesthetic themes is clearly pointed out by Rev. M. T. Plyler, pastor of Grace Methodist church, in a recent paper which he read before the Ministerial Association. Mr. Plyler discussed the reasons as to why so many go to church and explained that it is because they are looking for a message from above. Mr. Plyler said in part:

"Much is said of the few who attend church—the wonder to me is not that so few but that so many go to church. Sunday after Sunday, year after year, great multitudes are found regularly in the house of God—why do they continue to go?

"Most preaching is unspeakably dull and commonplace, measured by all earthly standards. No class of men have to repeat quite so often and to deal continuously with themes worn smooth by frequent handling as does the ministry. It cannot be for the novelty of the themes discussed that they come. For any minister to flatter himself that he has something novel or new to offer is only to confess to the embarrassment of a superficial mind. Certainly the people do not go and continue to go (a circus or monkey may gather a crowd occasionally) for amusement or for the spectacular—a playhouse can furnish better acting and a motion picture show more of the spectacular than the influence of sensationalists in the pulpit can do. The output of what the fine souls of cultule have thought and felt, expressed in literary form, goes far beyond the best literary efforts in the pulpit. Not for literature, not for entertainment, nor for fresh new themes do the people go to church.

"Allowing for the results of habit and the group instinct for the crowd, the fact remains that the soul-hunger of the multitude demands a satisfaction not secured by any earthly provision or man-made experiment. In its deeper longings, the care of man's living cries out after the satisfaction born from above. Hence, the church should be above all earthly expedients and the pulpit kept superior to any throne. It should speak with an authority and an assurance known to no earth potentate. Then why should a preacher step down to pick up a monarch's crown? The people should know that when they go to the house of God, they are to receive a message from God by a man of God and then they will go away feeling that they have been in the presence of God. This is why people continue to go to church.

"True, as a ship at sea will continue for leagues after all power is shut off, so the people will continue for a time to keep up old habits of church going but the primal impulse remains and lies far below the moments of the surface. The old heart-hunger persist, the sense of God abides, human responsibility continues and the desire for immortality remains.

"Now, we are planning and werking for the "Go to Church" month. What are we going to do with the non-church goers whom we may be so fortunate as to get within our doors? How are we going to interest him so as to hold him?

"We may just as well admit to ourselves that the average American citizen is not interested in discussion of dogma and hair splitting over denominational tenets, neither does he care for the aesthetics of gorgeous ancient ritual—for disregard of the things of the past is an American weakness—nor will the reception of phrases worn slick in the midst of conservative stagnation grip and hold him, even though they be reinforced by heavy draughts upon the lachrymal glands. Somehow the message and the service must be such as to stir the elemental feelings, grip the conscience and move the will so that the people may go away feeling that 'we never heard it on this wise before.' 'We would,' say they, 'be better men and women.'

"This means that we must live in the lights, rather than dwell in the commonplace, that we must so live with the shining face that the power of unconscious goodness will be mighty in its appeal. This professional formalism and religion shoddiness will give place to a prophetic message incisive as that of the Hebrew prophets and effective as that of the ancient apostles. A message from the heart goes to the heart."

THIEVES ROB ANOTHER STORE

Sellers' Store On South Front Street Broken Into and Robbed—Makes Third In Last Three Days.

According to a report made to the police department yesterday morning the grocery store conducted at No. 521 South Front street by Mr. P. G. Sellers was entered and robbed either late Saturday night or early Sunday morning. The only thing missed was 35 cents in money, although an inventory may reveal additional losses of goods. Entrance was gained by breaking into a side window. Officer O. V. Thompson investigated the robbery and found a number of barefoot tracks outside the window on the ground.

This makes the third successive day on which robberies of local grocery stores have been reported to the police. The store of Geo. Castoros was entered and the cash register rifled early Thursday morning or late Wednesday night, while that of V. Di Lanardo on Sixth street was robbed of a small sum in cash and cigarettes and cigars Friday night.

Another robbery which occurred Saturday night and which was reported to the police yesterday morning by Jno. Richardson, colored, of No. 810 North Seventh street, was that of a boarder at the above address who had $9 stolen out of his pockets while he slept. Entrance was gained through a rear door. An investigation made by Officers W. H. Kermon and W. W. Lewis failed to reveal any clue as to the identity of the thief.

Franklin, Va., Oct. 29.—R. Henry Carr, aged 65, postmaster of Franklin, one of the best known citizens of this section, die dtcday. He was a noted Confederate veteran.

The Big Song Show.
Isle of Roses Company—Victoria.
(advertisement.)

REFORMATION SERVICE HELD BY LUTHERANS

Anniversary Addresses Made by Pastors of Both Churches.

Rev. Mr. McClanahan at St. Matthew's and Rev. Mr. Clausen at St. Paul's Deliver Strong Sermons. Good Music.

The two Lutheran churches of Wilmington held special Reformation services yesterday morning, which were marked by splendid anniversary addresses by the pastors appropriate to the occasion. At the services held in St. Matthew's church, the pastor, Rev. G. W. McClanahan spoke on "Some Causes of the Reformation," while Rev. F. B. Clausen, pastor of St. Paul's church, delivered an address on, "Building the Temple of God." Both services were largely atended.

St. Paul's church was prettily decorated for the occasion with large vases of roses and chrysanthemums, while the music of the liturgy and appropriate anthems were sung. The morning features of the musical programme included "Introit" by Schmauk, the Offertorly, "God is Our Refuge and Strength" by Arthur Foote. At the evening services, a choir of 18 voices sang the Reformation Hymn and a numbers of anthems. Mrs. ... Schulken presided at the organ.

Special services were also held in the evening at both churches, Rev. Mr. McClanahan preaching at St. Matthew's church on the subject of "Do We Act Fair With God?" and Rev. Mr. Clausen at St. Paul's on "Moses and Luther; A Study of Characters."

Mr. McClanahan Speaks.

Rev. Mr. McClanahan took as his text the latter part of the third verse of the Epistle of St. Jude; "That ye should earnestly contend for the faith which was once delivered unto the saints."

After telling of the importance of the celebration,—what it meant to the Protestant church in general and to the Lutheran church in particular,— and how our modern achievements have been made possible by the successful achievements of those times, the minister declared that the faith which was once delivered to the saints had been lost amidst the corruptions of the church from its head to a large number of its members. Continuing, he said:

"Corrupt practices were encouraged and the preaching of the truth of the Gospel by which men's hearts and lives were transformed, fell into disuse.

"Martin Luther, the central figure of this mighty Reformation movement, nailed his 95 theses or propositions on the Castle church door in Wittenberg, October 31, 1517, protesting against this false doctrine of the church.

"It took courage and a triumphant faith in God to do this, knowing as he did, the fate which befell Savaranola, Huss, Jerome and Wyckliffe. But as an ordained priest, honored with the degree of Doctor of Divinity, he was in duty bound to proclaim the true faith and to denounce all that was countrary to that faith.

"While we praise God for this great personality, we realize that Luther was neither inspired nor infallible and had his faults and weaknesses as other men. But a strong conviction was upon him and he became the leader who was to aid mightily in restoring the true faith to succeeding generations.

"Among the things which aided in the crystalization of thought of the people of those times and resulted in the fruition of the movement was the increased intelligence of the people which caused a revolt against the oppressive tyranny of Papacy. The human mind was seeking its freedom from the absolute power of the spiritual order. The invention of printing, the discovery of the Western World and the revival of classical learning all contributed to this end.

"The corrupt conditions in the church, universally acknowledged, which caused the people to lose confidence in the ruling authorities, who had given up three fundamental principles which underlie Christianity, that is,—the Word of God our only rule in matters of doctrine, life of justification by faith alone, and the universal priesthood of all believers.

"The mighty events of those days speak for themselves. There was sorrow, persecution and sacrifice that entered into the consummation of the Reformation. It was worth while, for the faith that was once delivered unto the saints had to be kept from human tradition rites, ceremonies opposed to the truth.

"The life of the humble yet great Martin Luther was marked by many history making events—the nailing of the theses to the church door, his defense at Worms, his translation of the New Testament, writing of the Catechism, and the master doctrinal confessional of the ages, brought about the priceless privileges we enjoy today."

Mr. Clausen Speaks.

Rev. Mr. Clausen took his text from I. Corinthians, 11:16: "Know ye not that ye are the Temple of God, and the spirit of God dwelleth in you? If any man destroy the temple of God, him shall God destroy; for the temple of God is holy, and such are ye." His sermon in part is as follows:

"Today we enter upon the celebration of the Quadricentennial of the Reformation. In history, secular as well as ecclesiastical, October 31, 1517, is recognized to be the beginning of a new era, the dawn of modern times. Few heard on that late October day the dull thud of the hammer with which Luther nailed his theses of protest, his declaration of independence, to the door of the Castle church. Today the world reverberates with sound of that courageous deed and all but the most bigoted foe unite in honoring Martin Luther as one of the earth's chosen heroes. We have always regarded it significant that our church is not popularly known as the Protestant church. Protestant is negative. The work of Luther and his associates was positive and constructive. They tore down and opposed only what hindered the building of God's temple. They were builders of the church. All divisions of Christendom today are healthier, holier and more aggressive because of Luther's labors and spirit.

"In the building of God's temple the Reformers recognized the foundation laid by God Himself, which is Jesus Christ, His person, life, death, resurrection and ascension. These facts and the relations which they set forth that God sustains to man and man to his fellowman and age, are the stock of ideas

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"DUTY OF CHURCH TO MEXICO"

Addresses on Above Subject Furnish Main Theme for Speakers at Closing Session of District Union.

The closing session of the Pamlico District Union of the Disciples of Christ, which convened Saturday afternoon at the Dock Street Christian church for a two-day session, was marked by a number of interesting addresses on various phases of the country's religious duties towards ..., our closest of all the 20 Latin-American neighbors. The invitation of Nelms, N. C., was accepted and the December meeting of the union will be held at that place.

Speaking on the subject of "Mexico of Today and the Future," Mrs. W. A. Haskins declared that of late there had been much talk of this country's intervening and sending an army into that county, but that the only army which this country ought to send was an army of missionaries, who would win the country for Christ.

Miss Jeannette Buck, of the Winter Park school faculty, gave a very entertaining and instructive talk on the subject of "A Glimpse of the Geography and History of Mexico." The speaker pointed out that one of the duties of the people of this country is to study our closest Latin-American neighbor and her people, so as to gain a sympathetic insight into their problems.

Mrs. J. C. Cowden, in speaking of "Our Obligation as a Church to Mexico," said that although our people realize to some extent the misery and sorrows which have overtaken the people of Mexico in the last few years, they didn't fully realize the duty of the church to minister to their religious needs. She declared that Christ's command—to go and preach to all nations—certain included Mexico.

The devotional service in the evening was conducted by Mrs. Geo. E. Green, a brief address on church activities was made by Miss Etta Nun, while recitations were given by Miss Nelle Green and Lillie Mae Britt. Attractive solos were rendered by Miss Hazel Howie and Mr. J. W. Buck, the latter of whom sang "Take Time to be Holy."

The morning session was featured by a sermon by Rev. Mr. J. W. Lellis, of Kinston; communion service at 11 o'clock was conducted by Rev. J. A. Moore, while the Sunday school programme was conducted by Mr. Geo. L. Huband, the superintendent.

CHARTER ISSUED FOR BIG SHIPPING CORPORATION HERE

Cape Fear Shipping and Trading Co., Has Capital of $100,000.

A charter was issued by the Secretary of State in Raleigh, Saturday for the Cape Fear Shipping and Trading Company, of Wilmington, with an authorized capital of $100,000 and $50,000 subscribed by Messrs. James Sprunt, T. E. Sprunt, W. H. Sprunt, James Laurence Sprunt and W. P. Sprunt. The company proposes to do a general foreign and coastwise shipping business, operating one or more vessels.

It was stated yesterday by those interested in the corporation that the full details of the plan of operation have not yet been completed and that further announcements could not be made at this time. However, the company will in the near future begin active operations. Those behind it are well known business men of this city.

MRS. FLAGLER GIVES $10,000.

One of Big Contributors to Hughes Campaign Fund, Says Correspondent

H. E. C. Bryant, in his Washington correspondence to the Raleigh News and Observer of yesterday, has the following of local interest:

"The Republicans are not calculating on any help from the South this year. Their efforts to make a sectional issue has disgusted many of the old Cleveland Democrats who went to the Republican party in 1896 and 1900. They expect two representatives from Tennessee, two from Kentucky and one from North Carolina, but those are all. The Democrats claim ten from North Carolina. They believe that Mr. Britt will be defeated.

"Republican leaders at National headquarters in New York are sick. They know that inside of their organization there are bitter factional fights. They feel, too, that Mr. Hughes has made a poor campaign. There is very little hope for victory except through a lavish expenditure of money. They are afraid they will not be able to make use of their hogshead of filthy lucre without getting caught at it.

"Among the leading contributors to the Republican campaign fund is B. N. Duke, of Durham; he gave $2,500. R. J. Reynolds, of Winston-Salem, more than matched him for the Democrats by donating $10,000.

"Mrs. Mary Lily Flagler, who was Miss Mary Lily Kenan, of Raleigh, gave $10,000 to the Republicans."

ATTENDANCE IS INCREASING

Sunday Schools Making Report Show Splendid Records Yesterday

The Sunday Schools making a report of their attendance yesterday, in accordance with the recent action of the city union of Sunday School superintendents, showed a much larger attendance than for any previous Sunday this fall. From the reports received the indications were that more than 3,000 people attended Sunday School in Wilmington yesterday.

Those making reports were: First Baptist, 439; Delgado Baptist, 104; Church of the Ascension (Episcopal), 79; Church of the Good Shepherd, 212; Delgado Presbyterian, 138; St. Paul's Lutheran, 212; Trinity Methodist, 105; Bladen Street Methodist, 135; Grace Methodist, 322; Fifth Street Methodist, 201; Southside Baptist, 214; St. Paul's Episcopal, 88; Dock Street Christian, 122.

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Announcement

Beginning Monday, October 30th, a Tea Room under the auspices of St. Mary's Guild will be open to the public between the hours of 3:30 P. M. and 6:30 P. M., in the rooms over Wilmington Shoe Company, at No. 203 North Front Street. Light refreshments will be served at moderate cost.. The public is cordially invited.

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EDILIO STILL AGROUND

Efforts Made Yesterday to Pull Vessel Off Bar Were Unavailing.

The efforts of the coast guard cutter Seminole and tugs to pull the Italian steamer Edilio, which went aground Saturday on the ocean bar at Southport, were unsuccessful yesterday but another trial will be made this morning at high tide. The steamer went aground on high tide which makes it a difficult task to get her off. However, anchors have been placed and it will be possible this morning to use greater force.

The vessel is not strained in the least, it was stated yesterday, and has suffered no injury of any kind. She has a part cargo of steel and should the efforts to pull her off this morning prove unsuccessful a part of the load will be removed to lighters to lighten her so that she can float on high tide.

The vessel took on the steel at Baltimore and comes to Wilmington to be loaded with cotton by Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son after which she will sail for Genoa.

Steinway Trio—Victoria.
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(advertisement.)

—The members of the Christian Endeavor Society of of the First Presbyterian church and their friends are requested to remember the prayer service to be held this evening at the church at 6:10 o'clock.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Miss Augusta Boykin has returned from Fayetteville, where she attended the fair ball Friday night.

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The friends of Mr. Robert Northrop, who has been quite ill, will be glad to learn that he is greatly improved.

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Dr. G. Kirby Collier, of Sonyea, N. Y., arrived here yesterday morning to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Collier.

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Asheville Citizen: "Mrs. Evander McIver Gregg, of Wilmington, is visiting Mrs. John S. Watters, at her home on Clayton street."

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Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Miss Mary Isabel Taylor,of Wilmington, arrived in the city yesterday to be the guest of Mrs. R. D. Stephens."

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The Woman's Benefit Association of the Maccabees will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank Brittain, No. 504 South Third street, tonight. All members are urged to be present.

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Congressman Hannibal L. Godwin, who arrived in the city last night, was accompanied by Mrs. Godwin and they are guests at the Orton. They came to Wilmington from their home in Dunn.

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The ladies of the Y. W. C. A. will serve a banquet for the members of the Wesley Bible class of Grace Methodist church at the association building on North Fourth street on Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock.

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The keeping of "open house" at the Y. W. C. A. yesterday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock met with much favor from the ladies of the city. There were 16 who dropped in for an hour in addition to those from the Y. W. C. A. They were served with tea and made to feel at home.

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Chester, Pa., Morning Republican: "Mrs. Samuel M. Burke, of 504 East Twenty-second street, returned Wednesday from the South, where she enjoyed a six weeks' visit with relatives in Wilmington and Southport, North Carolina. Mrs. Burke, who is a former Wilmington girl, was greatly benefited during her stay in the land of cotton.

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LADIES OF FIFTH AVENUE CHURCH TO GIVE PARTY

A Hallowe'en party will be given under the auspices of the ladies of the Fifth Avenue Methodist church at the residence of Mrs. Carrie Gardner, No. 423 South Fifth street, tonight at 8 o'clock.

A good time is assured all who care to attend. The Gardner home will be appropriately decorated with autumn foliage and th elike while there will be plenty of amusement features, such as a Mystery Room, Fortune Teller's Booth, Fishing-pond and County store.

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MISS EDNA B. DRAUGHN IS TO WED MR. M. P. J. WILLIAMS

Rocky Mount, N. C., Oct. 29.—The prettiest party of the fall season was a miscellaneous shower given Friday afternoon at the hospitable home of Mrs. H. C. Barrett on Pearl street, when her daughter, Mrs. A. R. Jones, delightfully entertained the members of the Round Dozen Club and twelve invited guests complimentary to the bride elect, Miss Edna Barnes Draughn, who on Thursday, the ninth of November, will become the bride of Mr. M. P. J. Williams, of this city.

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MRS. M. H. HUSSEY GIVES DELIGHTFUL BRIDGE PARTY

Wilson, N. C., Oct. 29.—The beginning of the social season was brilliantly marked Thursday afternoon when Mrs. H. Moseley Hussey entertained at bridge at her home on Park avenue from 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock.

The house was very artistic in its decorations of chrysanthemums, roses and ferns.

There were nine tables and after a spirited game Mrs. Pierre Walker was found to have made the highest score and was awarded a beautiful bouquet of yellow chrysanthemums. At the conclusion of the game delicious refreshments consisting of a salad and ice cream course were daintily served by Misses Nannie Briggs and Nell Overman.

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PARIS-PRESTON WEDDING CELEBRATED AT KERNERSVILLE

Mrs. W. A. Fonville, of Wilmington, attended the marriage of Miss Pattie Anderson Preston, daughter of Mr. A. W. Preston, and Mr. Oscar Paris, of Wadesboro, at Belews Creek near Kernersville on Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Dr. J. O. Atkinson, of Elon College, was the officiating minister.

Preceding the entrance of the bridal party Mrs. W. A. Fonville of Wilmington sang Cadman's "At Dawning," accompanied by Miss Robah V. Hazlit.

During the ring ceremony Miss Hazlit softly sang "Traumeri," after which Mendelssohn's wedding march was used as a recessional. A reception was held after the ceremony.

The bride is the second daughter of Mr. Preston, being an honor graduate of Elon College.

The groom is traveling salesman for the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company.

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MISS EDITH JORDAN THE BRIDE OF MR. E. W. BULLUCK

Rocky Mount, N. C., Oct. 29.—One of the most attractive weddings of the early fall season occurred yesterday afternoon at three o'clock in the First Presbyterian church when Miss Edith Jordan was given in the holy bond of wedlock to Mr. Elmer W. Bulluck, Dr. W. D. Morton the pastor of the church officiating. The wedding was one of more than passing interest not only in the younger society set, in which both are most popular, but with a large circle of friends. Deft hands had made the church a scene of loveliness in the placing of pot plants, ferns and myriads of roses.

Just prior to the entrance of the bridle couple, Miss Maud McRae, of Maxton, a college friend of the bride, sang "At Dawning" the accompaniment being played by Mrs. E. G. Hornbeck. To the strains of the wedding march the bride entered the church with her step-father, Mr. B. J. Weatherford, who gave her away.

Miss Mary Mason was maid of honor. The groom, with his best man, his brother, Mr. Ernest Bulluck, entered from the choir room and joined the bridal party at the altar. Little Charlie Dove acted as ring bearer. The ushers were Messrs. Srtonach Wilkinson, George Edwards, Jeff Whitehead Walter Phillies, Robert Arrington and Johnnie Griffin.

Following the wedding ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Bulluck left by train No. 80 for New York, Philadelphia and Washington for a two weeks wedding trip after which they will be at home in this city.

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CLARK-JOSEY WEDDING AT SCOTLAND NECK LAST WEEK

The marriage of Miss Cornelia Justice Josey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Linwood Josey, to Mr. Henry Toole Clark, son of Dr. and Mrs. Henry Irwin Clark, in Trinity church at Scotland Neck on last Wednesday evening was a social event of much interest throughout the State. The following is from Scotland Neck correspondence in yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer:

"Rev. William J. Gordon, of Spray, brother-in-law of the groom, officiated, and there were present also in the chancel the rector of the parish, Rev. Reuben Meredith, and his assistant, Rev. Floyd S. Cartwright.

"The decorations of palms and ferns and yellow and white chrysanthemums gave a festive note to the simple beauty of the chancel, and this was further emphasized in the bridal music furnished by Miss Nannie Shields. For an hour before the ceremony she rendered a delightful organ musicale, concluding with Mendelssohn's wedding march.

"The bridal party was composed of Messrs. W. H. McDowell and J. B. Hall as ushers; Misses Laura Clark, Louise Josey, Hattie Legget, Sallie May Josey, Marguerite Higgs, of Greenville, and Martha Harris, of Franklinton, as braids maids, and Messrs. Danford Josey, N. A. Riddick, Peyton Holloman, William McDowell, Shields Alexander and Henry Bourne, of Tarboro, as groomsmen. Miss Mattie Herring Josey served as her sister's maid of honor, and Mr. Irwin Clark, of Norfolk, was the best man. The page, Master Irwin Clark Kitchin, immediate preceded the bride, who entered with her father, by whom she was given in marriage.

"The bridesmaids wore white net dresses with yellow tulle hats and sashes and yellow shoes ,and carried yellow chrysanthemums. The maid of honor was gowned in yellow taffeta with a white silk net overdress and yellow hat and shoes and carried white chrysanthemums. The page's suit was of white serge and he carried an Easter lily. The bride wore bridal satin with a court train and trimmings of pearls and lace and a long tulle veil arranged in cap style with sprays of lilies of the valley. She carried an armful of bride's roses with a shower of lilies of the valley.

"Miss Josey is a native of Scotland Neck and for several years was a member of the faculty of the graded school. She has endeared herself to the community and is a fine example of ideal womanhood.

"Mr. Clark is associated with the Scotland Neck cotton mills and takes an active interest in the business life of the town, being president of the board of trade, secretary of the building and loan association and one of the town commissioners. Both he and the bride are prominent also in the activities of their church life.

"Mr. and Mrs. Clark left by automobile for Rocky Mount to catch the midnight train for New York. They will be at home in Scotland Neck early in November.

"Immediately following the ceremony the parents of the bride tendered a brilliant reception to the public at their home. The guests were welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boyette and introduced by Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Josey, Jr., to the receiving line, composed of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Josey, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Toole Clark, Dr. and Mrs. H. I. Clark, Rev. and Mrs. William J. Gordon of Spray, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Herring and Mrs. Haywood Clark, of Wilmington. The second line, composed of the members of the bridal party received in the gift room and the guests were presented by Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Dunn, Dr. and Mrs. T. D. Kitchin served punch in the hall and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Johnson and Miss Helen Hilliard and Mr. Edwin Josey directed the guests. Miss Eleanor Smith and Annie Dunn received at the dining room door where Mesdames Gerson Hoffman and N. B. and W. H. Josey presided. Yellow and white ices, cakes and mints were served here. The decorations in all receiving rooms and in the dining room were of yellow and the hall was beautiful with hundreds of red dahlias.

"The out-of-town guests were: Mrs. Haywood Clark, of Wilmington; Miss Martha Harris, of Franklinton; Messrs. Irwin Clark and Robert Johnson, of Norfolk, and H. C. Bourne, of Tarboro; Miss Rebe Shields, of St. Mary's, Raleigh; Rev. and Mrs. William J. Gordon, of Spray; Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Hughes, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Luther Draper, Miss Jeannette Musgrove and Mr. Daniel, of Weldon.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Fred Russ, who has for 20 years been identified with the bakery business in Wilmington, will leave this morning for Florence, S. C., where he will be a member of the Boyd-Russ Bokery Company, a new bakery concern. Mr. Russ' many friends in Wilmington will wish for him much success in his new field.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The Chilean Transport "Maipo" with a cargo of pyrites came up the River yesterday afternoon and docked at 1 o'clock at the A. C. L. terminals, after lightering part of her cargo at Southport.

The Big Song Show.
Isle of Roses Company—Victoria.
(advertisement.)

The Store That Sells Wooltex

STORE NOTES

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SPLENDID WORK DONE BY CHINESE HOSPITAL

Interesting Letter From Dr. Worth to Wilmington Presbyterial.

Institution at Kiangyin, China, Had First Big Opportunity to Serve People in Way They Could Appreciate.

"It was the fact that you have a hospital here that opened to us the first really big opportunity we have ever had to serve the people of this place in a way that they could fully appreciate," is the cheering message contained in a letter from Dr. George C. Worth, who has charge of the hospital of the Southern Presbyterian Mission at Kiangyin, China, to the Wilmington Presbyterial, which was read recently at the day of prayer observance at Warsaw.

Dr. Worth's letter gives a very vivid and interesting account of the part that this hospital played during the recent uprising and the fact that he is a native of Wilmington and understands thoroughly the typography of this section enables him to describe the situation so as to make it very realistic to those at home.

Dr. Worth's letter embodies a report of the past year's work at this hospital, and is as follows:

"Kiangyin, China, August 18, '16.

"My dear Friends: Our annual mission meeting is now but one week off, and while our fiscal year runs from April to April, our work year dates from one annual meeting to the next, and so I am going to tell you a little about the work which has been done in your hospital during the past 12 months.

"As each year passes and we look back over its record, we are apt to think of it as the most strenuous yet, and this is natural for the difficulties of other years have grown more remote and do not seem so sharp as they once did, whereas the recent events are still fresh and acute in our minds. While we workers at Kiangyin are well aware of this tendency to over estimate the more recent happenings, we feel that we can say with truth that the year just behind us has been distinguished by experiences not equaled by any preceding year that we can recall.

"While there have been many signal encouragements that have been most heartening to eyes that are always on the eager lookout for signs of life and growth, we have also to recall some very sad proofs that our great enemy is ever busy amongst us, sowing tares, seeking whom he may devour.

"There has been sickness and death among us, two of our best being called to the better land, one an elder of the Church who was also the Chinese principal of the James Sprunt Academy, a strong and growing spiritual character; the other, our beloved fellow worker, Mrs. Little, who after a short season was taken away in the very height of her splendid usefulness. There was also the trial and dismissal from service of one of our most trusted assistants in the evangelistic work. Better death than this. Besides these things there was the very exciting war at Kiangyin which brought confusion and panic to the people all about us. Kiangyin forts and county declared independence of the central government, seceded, and thus for a brief time we had the novel experience of being a little republic composed of but one county about the size of Brunswick county, with a fort like Caswell, and an army of about 2,000 men. It was ill-advised and doomed to an early failure, though the men who promoted it believed themselves patriots working for true independence from autocratic rule. You will find enclosed with this letter an interesting account of this little war as seen and described by Rev. Lacy I. Moffett, whom so many of you know.

"It was the fact that you have a hospital here that opened to us the first really big opportunity we have ever had to serve the people of this place in a way that they could fully appreciate; it was the motor launch 'Wilmington' sailing under our hospital Red Cross flag that offered the only safe means of getting the mediators back and forth between the fighting parties. One of the leading members of the gentry, one of the party whom we escorted between the opposing generals, a man who knows the gospel and believes it intellectually, as we were flying along between the lines, looked up at the red cross and with queer emphasis remarked: 'Here we are with our lives depending upon the Cross!' When it was known that the government troops were approaching to attack Kiangyin the people, rich and poor alike, were overcome with panic, expecting that the place would be bombarded and looted, and fully half the population fled to the country.

"To our hospital, though, came the leading citizens of the town, bringing their ladies and children. It was not long before there were 80 ladies and girls occupying the forty cots of the woman's ward. Many of their husbands returned to the city to guard their property, but others crowded into the male ward. These were the principal families of our city. It would have done your hearts good to see how they trusted to God's house as the only place of refuge in which they had confidence. For several days they were with us, listening readily to the Gospel, helping the nurses to roll bandages and prepare surgical dressings for the wounded who were brought in. You may wonder what became of the patients at this time. Well, most of them went home to their villages or residences in the country. Many of them were from places outside the danger zone, and so, only the very ill stayed with us. Thus we were prepared to devote nearly the whole hospital to the people of the city close at hand.

"We had all sorts of wounded soldiers brought to us, and not a few citizens who had been hurt by marauding troops.

"As you will see from Mr. Moffett's article, we have been drawn very close together with our people of Kiangyin by these days of danger, and we have had many proofs that our opportunities for reaching their hearts with the gospel will be much better than formerly. A leading gentleman, having heard that the hospital was pressed for funds, told us not long ago that he was circulating a subscription list and already had several hundred Mexican dollars promised, and expected to bring the amount up to about one thousand dollars. Of course that was very pleasing news to Dr. Crawford and me, for we had been feeling very acutely the pinch of wartime prices for all sorts of medicines and hospital supplies.

"Though the treasury has been low, and it has been a close shave to make ends meet, there has been another matter which has troubled us more still, and that is the necessity we have been under so many times to turn away poor patients from the hospital. There have been not a few times when we have crowded extra patients into the male hospital, letting them sleep on a Chinese cot or on the floor, and then still be obliged to turn somebody away. The ones who generally have to suffer in this way are the poor, because as a rule we have an extra private room or two that we can give to a well-to-do person. We feel very strongly that such a state of affairs must be corrected, and that by some means or other must find the funds to add an inexpensive ward just for third class cases, leaving the main building for first and second class patients. Our plan is to build a one-story ward in cheap but substantial style, containing a ward for 20 cots, two rooms for married people who wish to look after each other, a room for male nurse, and a linen and supply room. This building, cheaply built and furnished, should not cost more than three thousand Mexican dollars, complete, that is, about fifteen hundred American dollars.

"We have told the Chinese friends who are contributing the above-mentioned money, that we would rather use their gifts in the new building than in any other way. It is our hope that they may be stimulated to give even more. At one time there was great hope that the Rockefeller fund would give grants to all the hospitals in China, but nothing seems to come of it except in the case of an occasional hospital here or there, or a nurse sent out, or a special gift, but the great majority of us have still to struggle along the best way we can. This is not said in any spirit of discouragement or complaint, because we, on the contrary, have everything to be thankful for in the new Woman's ward and other increased facilities; only, as time goes on, we see more clearly where our work is deficient and cannot but long for the equipment that we see is so sorely needed, and which would make this one hospital among a half million people more nearly meet the real needs of the case and be more of a credit to the great cause we represent.

"The need for this additional space for poor patients presses the more strongly upon us because we will soon have sufficient force to take care of a greater number of patients. At the Chinese new year, about February the first, we shall have two new graduates from the Medical department of the Nanking University, two of our old students, promising young men, who have had an excellent training in our Union Christian University.

"If the Wilmington Presbyterial feels a call to push forward this new work at your hospital, you may be sure it would bring joy to your fellow workers here, but, in the meantime, we are going forward.

"The cheering news has just reached us that Miss Albaugh will be back with us in another two months, fresh from a year's rest, and also a special normal course for graduate nurses at Columbia University, New York. This is greatly to our liking, for we know it is her desire as well as ours to perpetuate her life out here by the training of many Chinese nurses. We now have a class of four male nurses and one of five young lady nurses for her to train and teach.

"We are more and more pleased with the Chinese lady doctor who is in charge of the woman's ward. She is not only a faithful physician, but a strong addition as a Christian worker.

"Last fall there came an urgent appeal from Dr. Venable at Kashing for Dr. Crawford to come down and help him, as his colleague, Dr. Hutchison, was away in America, and he was about broken down with his heavy work. While this was a hardship to us here, Dr. Crawford was able to render a very valuable service to our sister station. He was there for several months, and tided Dr. Venable over a critical period. You may be sure he received a most warm welcome upon his return, which, by the way, occurred just at the time when we needed him most, just as the fighting was beginning. He is just the man we have needed, and more and more adds strength to the work.

"We regret to report that the number of patients coming to the clinic is no greater than last year. You may recall that we reported a considerable falling off last year, due to the increased charges which we were obliged to pay for all sorts of hospital supplies. While the clinic patients have not increased, there has been a very marked increase in the number of in-patients, and this, after all, is the best proof of confidence, and gives us the best opportunity to do our best work professionally, and the surest way to reach them with the gospel. In addition to these evidences of favor, there is a growing readiness to submit to surgical operations. Dr. Crawford is widening the surgical reputation of the hospital, too, so we expect yet better things in that respect.

"A new feature of work has been inaugurated this year by Dr. Crawford, something in which he has long been interested, and which we feel will be productive of much good. He goes out to the country chapels once each week and holds a clinic for one day. Mr. Moffett accompanies him and with the local evangelist conducts a special service for the patients. This is proving a great convenience to many sick who cannot come up to the hospital, and is also bringing more in-patients to us, for often cases that need operations, or prolonged treatment, are induced to come up to the hospital. It is also bringing greater influence to the country chapels, attaching to them something of the same importance that belongs to the central station where the hospital is.

"We are confident that the year just passed has been one of real progress, and we are sure you have been upholding us with your prayers. Let us make the coming year one of more mutual effort and prayer. Will not every member of the Presbyterial agree to remember your hospital each day in special prayer? This would mean so much for us and the people for whom we work.

"It would also be very cheering if some one were appointed at the Day of Prayer to write us a special letter with news of the meeting and any points of special interest.

"With most cordial greetings,
"Sincerely yours,
"GEORGE C. WORTH."

Would Organize "Wilson Brigade."

The organization of a "Wilson Brigade," whose insignia shall be a walking cane, is contemplated by "Judge" G. W. Bornemann, who suggests that this would be a very appropriate way of letting the Republicans beware of doing anything unseemly. The "Judge" is an ardent Wilson advocate and he also believes in preparedness. The idea was suggested to the "Judge" yesterday when one of his admirers presented him with a handsome cane as a mark of appreciation for the oratorical efforts of the magistrate at the Wilson rally Saturday night when he pledged his undying support to the cause of Democracy.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

CLEWS' BUSINESS REVIEW

Speculation and Prices at Undreamed of Levels—Reduction In Bank Reserves—British Loan.

(Special Star Correspondence)

New York, Oct. 29.—Speculation and prices have touched levels undreamed of, and the impression grows that still higher altitudes are in prospect. Wheat, cotton, pig iron, sugar, wool, chemicals, and nearly all commodities are on the upward path, war being almost the sole impetus. War's demands are absolutely insatiable. Men, munitions and money must be had regardless of cost; waste is going on upon a vaster scale than ever, and supplies of all necessities are becoming more and more depleted. While such forces are at work, high prices are inevitable, and no one can predict where they will end. Possibly, if not probably, they will continue advancing until consumption is checked or production is increased. The only certainty is that as long as war lasts, no premanent decline can be anticipated.

There are some who believe that the war will end as suddenly as it began; but a more reasonable view is that peace will come only as a result of exhaustion, something not yet in sight. Recent German successes in Roumania may tend to lengthen the war, because they stimulate German confidence and stiffen British stubbornness. Winter is rapidly approaching and active campaigning must soon cease. Both sides will, of course, make strenuous preparations for resumption next spring, possibly developing more desperate fighting then than anything yet experienced. The only conclusion at present attainable is that the war will continue for some months to come, and with it a futher inflation of prices.

Even with a truce, a full year might be required before a treaty of peace could be completed and signed, during which period the great armies would be obliged to remain in readiness for a possible renewal of hostilities. Unfortunately weary months of strife and destruction are still ahead. In line with these expectations Great Britain has just arranged for another loan of $300,000,000, making $800,000,000 to that country since the war began. This loan, the proceeds of which will undoubtedly be spent in the United States, seems to have been placed before the funds were strictly needed, with a view of checking the inordinate influx of gold and consequent injurious inflation. Since the war we have received $627,000,000 net in gold, chiefly on British account. This has been a powerful factor in creating easy money on this side and has had much to do with stimulating credit expansion.

To some extent, the new Federal reserve system through its elasticity aided inflation. So, too, did the increased value of stocks used as collateral. Bankers here fully realize the incipient danger of excessive expansion and are acting accordingly. Bank reserves have been materially reduced lately, the total excess reserves in New York a week ago being down to about $69,000,000, compared with $188,000,000 a year ago. The new British loan will impose a temporary check upon cheap money, but Great Britain eventually be obliged to pay her bills in gold, securities, commodities or service of some kind. Her gold we do not want; her holdings of American securities are becoming much reduced, and war hitherto has checked her exports of manufactured products. In the latter respect, however, Britain is making a marvellous recovery, and today with only half the labor that was employed before the war the exports of the United Kingdom were almost equal to the volume of 1914. In September British exports were £43,000,000, an increase of £11,000,000 over last year, while imports were £77,000,000, an increase of £7,000,000. The nearer Great Britain comes to normalizing her foreign trade, the more easily will she finance the war. Meanwhile this country is steadily strengthening its financial position at home and abroad. Our banking power and prestige have enlarged enormously, while all of the belligerents have in these respects lost materially. Even the primacy of London is temporarily over-shadowed, and Great Britain, which for generations has been the greatest trader, the greatest carrier and the greatest banker in the world, is obliged to see her pre-eminence in these spheres impaired. In time she will doubtless recover from her losses, and even exceed former standing in these respects, but the United States has made very substantial gains on these lines, and is practically sure of being a good second, with Great Britain's lead constantly diminishing to the United States.

This market has shown further sensational advances in both commodities and securities. Wheat and cotton have both touched extraordinary levels, and though reactions occurred, the outlook for a continuation of high prices is unchanged. The principal minerals show marked strength, and the iron trade continues unchecked in its headlong prosperity. Steel shares continue making fabulous earnings. Shipping engaged in foreign trade is doing likewise, and many an old vessel has lately sold for ten to fifteen times its original value. This country is building ships with feverish energy, and we might have established a very respectable merchant marine had our legislators understood the business they so successfully destroyed. Industrial and commercial activities are at high water mark. Bank clearnings last week were about 40 per cent larger than a year ago, when returns were breaking records. Railroad traffic is very heavy, earnings showing increases of fully 10 per cent and over compared with a year ago. November dividend and interest payments will exceed $154,000,000, which is about $10,000,000 ahead of the previous year.

There is an active demand for all desirable investments and good bonds are readily absorbed. Attention is now being turned to desirable preferred stocks which have been somewhat neglected owing to the enormous earnings of leading industrials. Speculation is the latter continues upon a tremendous scale but prices are now so high that further advances usually bring out fresh realizations. Railroad shares have been more active on both investment and speculative account, and their bettar position which has already been set forth in these advices is being gradually realized. At times the market is somewhat reactionary and in view of large commitments to the long side is sensitive to unfavorable news. The election thus far has been an almost negligible factor, and will shortly be a matter of history. In about another week this issue will be settled and out of the way, leaving one important factor eliminated from the situation.

HENRY CLEWS.

MARINE.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Nicaria (Ger.), 3,283 tons, Holtasch, Heide & Co.

Str Kiel (Ger.), 2,872 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Oct. 28 by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 29.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—42½c.

ROSIN—$5.80 and $5.35.

TAR—$2.60-10¼c.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$4.00, $4.00, $3.00.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 51c; rosin, $4.25 and $4.00; tar, $2.00-9c.; crude turpentine, $3.00, $3.00, $2.00.

RECEIPTS:

Spirits Turpentine .....(—)
Rosin .....(—)
Tar 22
Crude Turpentine .....(—)

Receipts same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 8 casks; rosin, 42 barrels; tar, 14 barrels; crude turpentine, 3 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—18¼c.; quotations same day last year, 11½c.

Receipts—782 bales; same day last year 2,896 bales.

Total receipts since August 1 to date, 55,678 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 89,513 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Oct. 29.)

SWEET POTATOES—Yams, new, 60c. to 65c. bushel.

IRISH POTATOES—$1.40 to $1.50 per bu.

CORN—$1.90 to $1.95 per sack.

BEEF—Native dressed, 9c. to 10c.

PORK—Small, 10c. to 12c. per pound.

WOOL—Burry, 20 to 22½; first class wool, 28 to 35; highest grade, washed wool, 38c.

SHEEP—Old, goos quality, gross, 2 1-2 to 3c pound. Lambs, best quality, 6 to 7c pound.

HIDES—Green salt, 15c. to 16c.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 23 to 25c.; sides and shoulders, 15c. to 19c. per lb.; good demand.

BEESWAX — Firm, 28c. per pound; good demand.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 45c to 50c.; spring, 20c. to 35c. head.

EGGS—30 to 31c. dozen.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Oct. 29. — North Carolina Peanuts—Market weaker. Fancy hand-picked, 56c.; No. 1 machine picked, 50c. per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—Market, steady. Jumbos, 60c; fancy hand picked, 55c; No. 1, machine picked, 50c per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts — Market weaker; No. 1, small, machine picked, 65c.; Jumbos, 60c. per bushel.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., Oct. 29. — Spanish—Farmers' stock, market firm; New Stock, $1.15 per bu.

Virginias — Farmers' stock, market, steady. New Stock: Fancy Jumbo, 3½ to 3¾ per lb.; Extra Prime, 3¼ to 3½c. per lb.; Prime, 3 to 3¼c. per lb.; Shelling Stock, 2½ to 3c. per lb.

O. HENRY'S 3-YEAR PRISON TERM TOLD BY HIS BIOGRAPHER

The fact that William Sydney Porter, famous as "O. Henry" spent three years and three months in the state penitentiary at Columbus, Ohio, for embezzlement has been published by Prof. C. Alphonso Smith, of the University of Virginia, his biographer. Professor Smith said that his reason for publicly statinge the fact was to clear the shadow cast on the author's name. He is convinced that O. Henry was guiltless and the conviction was a miscarrriage of justice. Some of the most famous stories were written in prison, smuggled out to a friend, and then forwarded to the magazines. The term in the penitentiary also explains the pen name of "O. Henry", Porter signed this nom de plume to the stories he sent out while in prison and in this way his identity as a convict was concealed from the editors.

Ladies Free Tonight.
At The Victoria—See Adv.
(advertisement.)

ACTIVE WEEK IN STOCKS

Low Priced Rails Go to Highest Levels In Years—Rise in Grains, Etc., Affects Market.

New York, Oct. 29.—There were times during last week when the extraordinary rise in grains, cotton and other commodities quite overshadowed the activity of the securities market, the new $300,000,000 British loan soon to be offered and the futher enormous influx of gold. Stocks of the better grade sea-sawed frequently but secondary and minor issues, especially rails, were the highest in years.

New maximums of the week included United States Steel which rose to 121 3-4, Bethlehem Steel at an extreme gain of 100 points to 650, General Motors, which retained distinction of mounting to the highest quotation eer attained b yany issue in the course of regular trading advancing 25 points to 850 and Utah Copper, which made a gross gain of 8 1-2 points at 108 1-4. Other new maximums included the several sugar and paper issues, Central Leather and Atlantic, Gulf and West Indies whose rise of 7 3-4 to 104 7-8 was followed by a brilliant statement of earnings.

Aside from the belief that these advices were accelerated by pools and speculative interests, it was generally conceded that the movement had no little justification in the country's unprecedented prosperity. Additional restored, increased and extra dividends were reported by industrial corporations and signs point to a similar development in the coming week, when the actual statement of the United States Steel Corporation for the third quarter will be issued. Foreign exchange failed to reflect in more than a minor degree the ebb and flow of military conditions abroad. Austrian remittances fell to a new low discount and Rubles and lires were heavy to weak, but sterling bills and francs were scarcely altered.

The greater ease of domestic monetary conditions was indicated not only by lower rates for call and time accommodations but also by the expedients employed to put idle funds to profitable use.

According to veteran observers, the political campaign is exciting less interest than any similar since 1898.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

New Orleans, Oct. 29.—The heaviest kind of liquidation was witnessed in the local cotton market last week, after prices had bulged to the highest levels ever recorded in this future market. On Wednesday all the active future months were above 19c, July trading to 1989. The climax to the prolonged advance came immediately after the Census Bureau report on ginning of 7,291,733 bales turned out to October 17. General expectations were for a report of not under 7,500,000 bales. The fluctuations of the week were broad and violent, on Wednesday the drop from the highest to the lowest levels being nearly a cent a pound. At the highest levels of the week the active months were 127 to 144 points over the previous week's close; at the lowest levels they were still 11 to 16 points up. The market moved over an extreme range of 124 to 130 points and closed at a net advance of 36 to 40 points.

This week, the trade will watch anxiously for any indication of the stage reached in liquidating the long interest hanging over the market. Most traders appeared to think that the immediate situation hinges more on the technical situation than on any other factor and undoubtedly will take their positions on the market in accordance with their view on this situation. Among one element it is the belief that realizing has not yet run its course but that there is still more cotton to come out and weigh against values. There is another element which believes the selling out of the last few days has put the market in a healthy condition and that it is ready to advance to higher levels than have yet been registered on the first favorable developments. It is likely to be more of a professional market in the near future than it has been in the recent past.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

October 30, 1916.

Meteorological data for the day ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 57 degrees; at 8 P. M., 69 degrees; maximum, 76 degrees; minimum, 55 degrees; mean, 66 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inch; rainfall for the month, to date, 4.32 inches. inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M. Saturday, 2.8 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina: Local rains Monday. Tuesday partly cloudy.

The Port Calendar, Oct. 30, 1916.

Sun rises .....6:30 A. M.
Sun sets .....5:22 P. M.
Day's length .....10 hrs. 52 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	12:20	12:00	6:58	8:00
Southport	10:05	10:20	3:51	4:44
Masonboro Inl	9:54	10:09	3:31	4:24

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS

October 29, 1916.

STATIONS:	Temperature: Weather at 8 P. M.	Highest today.	Lowest Last night.	Precipitations at 8 P.M.
Abilene	clear	86	—	.0
Asheville	rain	66	—	.26
Atlanta	cldy	60	56	1.10
Augusta	cldy	74	67	.01
Baltimore	pt cldy	64	—	.0
Birmingh	clear	74	58	.0
Boston	clear	62	—	.0
Charleston	rain	74	60	.02
Charlotte	pt cldy	70	50	.0
Chicago	cldy	64	—	.01
Galveston	clear	78	70	.0
Jacksonv.	cldy	74	66	.16
Memphis	clear	76	—	.0
Mobile	clear	80	56	.0
Montgom'y	clear	70	60	.0
New Orl	clear	80	62	.0
New York	cldy	58	—	.0
Oklahoma	clear	76	—	.0
Palestine	clear	84	58	.0
Pittsburg	clear	70	—	.0
Raleigh	clear	72	48	.0
Savannah	rain	68	60	1.16
Shreveport	clear	80	—	.0
St. Louis	clear	76	—	.0
Washing'n	pt cldy	68	—	.0

SALE OF O. H. MATTER.

The SOUTHERN EXPRESS COMPANY will sell at Public Auction, for Cash, to the Highest Bidder, on December 3, 1916, Unclaimed Matter which has been on hand six months or more.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY

Office of the Treasurer,

Wilmington, N. C., October 20, 1916.

The Board of Directors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has declared two per cent interest on the Certificates of Indebtedness of that Company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, Wilmington, N. C., on and after November 1st, 1916. The transfer books are closed from the 21st day of October, 1916, to the first day of November, 1916, both dated inclusive.

JAMES F. POST, Treasurer.

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Account Lee County Agricultural Fair. Tickets will be sold November 1 2 and 3, limited returning until November 4.

$18.35—Atlanta, Ga.
Account Southern Medical Association. Tickets will be sold November 12, 13 and 14, limited returning until November 19.

$4.30—Raleigh, N. C.
Account Farmers' Educational and Co-Operative Union of America. Tickets will be sold Nov. 12, 13 and 14, limited returning until Nov. 18.

$38.10—New Orleans, La.
Account National Farm and Live Stock Show. Tickets will be sold Nov. 10 to 18, inclusive, limited returning until Nov. 21.

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Arrive New Bern .....8:30 A. M.
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SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

Effective Monday, September 11th, 1916, Southern Railway announces the present Winston-Salem-Beaufort-Morehead City Pullman Sleeping Car line will be shortened to Winston-Salem-Goldsboro. Pullman Sleeping Car line. This car will leave Winston-Salem at 8:50 P. M. same as at present, and arrive Goldsboro following morning, returning car will leave Goldsboro 10:35 P. M., arriving Winston-Salem following morning.

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DEPARTURES	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90 3:40 A.M. Daily except Sunday.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro With Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad.	No. 91 1:15 A.M. Daily except Monday.
No. 51 5:30 A.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, St. Petersburg, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia open to receive outbound passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M. and may be occupied, inbound, until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50 12:20 A.M. Daily.
No. 64 5:15 A.M. Mon., Wed. and Fri. only.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65 6:10 P.M. Mon., Wed. and Fri. only.
No. 48 8:40 A.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains having Pullman service.	Daily No. 49 6:05 P.M.
No. 53 8:45 A.M. Daily.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52 5:00 P.M. Daily.
No. 62 3:25 P.M. Daily	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63 12:00 P.M. Daily
No. 55 3:45 P.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Florence, Columbus, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida points. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta. Sleeping cars only between Florence and Columbia, which may be occupied at Columbia until 7:00 A. M.	No. 54 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 59 6:30 P.M. Tuesday, Thursday and Sat. only.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60 10:15 A.M. Tuesday, Thursday and Sat. only.
No. 42 6:45 P.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, carrying dining cars; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41 9:50 A.M. Daily.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

IN EFFECT OCTOBER 9, 1916.

Winter Park, Wrightsville, Wrightsville Beach

AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS.

EASTBOUND. Leave Electric Center for Winter Park	Leave Electric Center for Wrightsville	Leave Electric Center for Beach	WESTBOUND: Leave Winter Park for Wilmington.	Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington	Leave Beach for Wilmington.
* 6:30 A.M.	* 6:30 A.M.	* 6:30 A.M.	* 6:26 A.M.	* 6:15 A.M.	
6:50 A.M.	6:50 A.M.	† 6:50 A.M.	* 7:31 A.M.	* 7:20 A.M.	
* 8:00 A.M.	* 8:00 A.M.		8:01 A.M.	7:50 A.M.	7:40 A.M.
8:30 A.M.	8:30 A.M.	8:30 A.M.	* 8:41 A.M.	* 8:30 A.M.	
			9:36 A.M.	9:25 A.M.	9:15 A.M.
			?10:31 A.M.	?10:20 A.M.	
10:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	11:06 A.M.	10:55 A.M.	10:45 A.M.
11:30 A.M.	11:30 A.M.	11:30 A.M.	12:36 P.M.	12:25 P.M.	12:15 P.M.
† 1:00 P.M.	† 1:00 P.M.	† 1:00 P.M.	† 2:06 P.M.	† 1:55 P.M.	† 1:45 P.M.
* 1:10 P.M.	* 1:10 P.M.	*x1:10 P.M.	* 2:01 P.M.	* 1:50 P.M.	*x1:45 P.M.
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?†4:50 P.M.			5:36 P.M.	5:25 P.M.	5:15 P.M.
5:30 P.M.	5:30 P.M.		6:11 P.M.	6:00 P.M.	
6:10 P.M.	6:10 P.M.		6:51 P.M.	6:40 P.M.	
6:40 P.M.	6:40 P.M.	x 6:40 P.M.	7:31 P.M.	7:20 P.M.	x 7:15 P.M.
7:15 P.M.	7:15 P.M.		8:06 P.M.	7:55 P.M.	
8:15 P.M.	8:15 P.M.		8:56 P.M.	8:45 P.M.	
9:15 P.M.	9:15 P.M.	9:15 P.M.	10:21 P.M.	10:10 P.M.	10:00 P.M.
10:15 P.M.	10:15 P.M.		10:56 P.M.	10:45 P.M.	
11:15 P.M.	11:15 P.M.	11:15 P.M.	12:21 A.M.	12:10 A.M.	12:00 M.

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DEPARTURE OF TRAINS FROM WILMINGTON:
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ARRIVAL OF TRAINS AT WILMINGTON:
No. 14—12:40 P. M.—Train from Charlotte and Intermediate Points. PULLMAN PARLOR CAR BETWEEN CHARLOTTE AND WILMINGTON.
No. 20—12:10 A. M.—Train from Charlotte and Intermediate Points. SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN CHARLOTTE AND WILMINGTON. PASSENGERS MAY REMAIN IN SLEEPER UNTIL 7:00 A. M.
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CAPE FEAR SHIPPING COMPANY CHARTERED

Wilson Day Was Generally Observed Saturday In Wake

Fear is Felt That Proposed Constitutional Amendments Will be Lost Sight of in Election—Orange Fair a Good One.

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 29.—A charter was issued Saturday for the Cape Fear Shipping and Trading Company, of Wilmington, capital $100,000 authorized and $50,000 subscribed, by James Sprunt, T. S. Sprunt, W. H. Sprunt, J. Laurence Sprunt and W. P. Sprunt. The company proposes a general foreign and coastwise shipping business, operating one or more vessels.

Another charter is for the Carolina Acid Wood Co., of Statesville, capital $75,000 authorized and $9,000 subscribed, for a timber, land, saw mill, acid and wood pulp business. The incorporators are W. C. Webb J. B. Foster, J. L. McClure and others.

Commissioner of Agriculture W. A. Graham, just back from the Orange county fair, says the fair was an exceptionally good one with large attendance and exhibits in agriculture that were exceptionally fine. He says the county and district fairs generally this season throughout the State have made money and settled all their obligations and paid off premiums in full with unusual promptness.

Out in the country districts of Wake county there was general and enthusiastic observance of Wilson Day today and tonight and most notable having been that for the Fuquay Springs section, where the First Voters' League gave a big barbecue that attracted people from a wide scope of country, many going out from Raleigh. The observance of Wilson Day for Raleigh Democracy will not be until next Wednesday when Hon. T. W. Bickett is scheduled to deliver a campaign speech here.

As the campaign in this State is speeding toward the close with ever greatly increasing momentum there is fear among the friends of the pending constitutiona lamendments that are to be voted on, along with the candidates for office, will be lost sight of to an extent that will endanger their going by default instead of having a general depression on the part of the voetrs.

CONTINUED PROGRESS IN DOBRUDJA MADE BY THE CENTRAL POWERS

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were repulsed with losses. Two armored automobiles were destroyed by direct hits.

"Later—East of Les Boeufs two hostile companies entered our most advanced trench. Fighting there is still in progress.

"Army Group of the German Crown Prince: There were only artillery duels on the east bank of the Meuse (Verdun front), these resulting in considerable intensity from time to time."

SAYS INVASION OF BRITISH ISLES IS A POSSIBILITY

London, Oct. 29.—Field Marshal Viscount French, commander-in-chief of the armies in the United Kingdom, addressing volunteers at Derby today, said that an invasion of the British Isles was not a mere supposition but a possibility. This they must be prepared to meet.

RUSSIAN ATTACKS BREAK DOWN UNDER GERMAN FIRE

Berlin, Oct. 29, (via Sayville).—During a heavy bombardment which extended along almost the whole length of the line on the Stokhod river in Volhynia, the Russians yesterday attacked in the wooded area west of Lutsk, near Szelxov. The attack, according to today's army headquarters statement, broke down under the German curtain of fire.

1,000 RUMANIAN PRISONERS TAKEN TO CONSTANTINOPLE

Berlin, Oct. 29. (via Sayville)—One thousand Rumanians, the first detachment of prisoners made by the Turkish army in Dobrudja, have arrived in Constantinople, says an Overseas News Agency dispatch from the Turkish capital. Additional Russian and Rumanian prisoners are due to arrive shortly.

The Turkish newspaper, Tasfiri-Ekfiar, reports the booty taken in Dobrudja as so great in quantity that it has not yet all been brought in.

NORWEGIAN SHIP IS SET ON FIRE BY GERMAN SUBMARINE

London Oct. 29.—The Norwegian sailing ship Regina, of Skien, was set on fire by the German submarine U-34, while the ship was on her way from Norway to England and two members of her crew were drowned, according to a Reuter dispatch from Ymuidan, Holland, today. According to the dispatch the Dutch steamer Hector arrived at that port with the captain and ten members of the crew of the Regina on board. These sailors were taken on board the U-34 from which they were transferred to the Hector.

RUSSO-RUMANIAN FORCES ARE RETREATING NORTHWARD

Sofia, Saturday, Oct. 28, (via London, Oct. 29.)—The Russo-Rumanian army in Dubrudja is retreating toward the pontoon bridges across the Danube from Hirsova, northward to Tutcha and Isakcha, near the mouth of the river, according to today's war office statement. The Bulgarians have destroyed the bridge at Hirsova and the advance guard on the eastern wing has reached the region of Babadagh, fifty miles north of Constanza.

In Macedonia Serbian attacks in the Cerna region were repulsed.

TURK OFFENSIVE MOVEMENT DEVELOPS ON PERSIAN FRONT

Petrograd, Oct. 29, (via London).—The development of a Turkish offensive movement in the Mamadan sector in Persia is reported in today's Russian official statement regarding operation on the Caucasus front. The Turks who advanced in considerable force, were defeated in a pitched battle and their forward movement checked. The war office also announced today that the offensive which was opened by the Austro-German forces on the Russo-Rumanian lines near the junction of the frontier of Bukowina, Transylvania and Rumania, had been checked, the war office announced today. The hostile attacks, delivered in the region of Negri, south of Dorna Watra, were repelled by the fire of the defenders.

REICHSTAG HAS STORMIEST MEETING OF PRESENT SESSION

Berlin, Oct. 28, (via London, October 29).—The Reichstag had its stormiest meeting of the present session today when the question of abrogating the so-called preventative arrest on suspicion came up.

Deputy William Dittmann, socialist, started the trouble with a harrowing recital of hardships and injustice. Dr. Karl Heifferich, secretary of the interior, in expressing the greatest regret that injustices should have crept into the system attempted to defend it as an absolute necessity on the ground that the security of the state was infinitely omre important than that of the individua' In turn speakers representing the national-liberal, the centre, the socialist and the progressive groups denounced the conditions that had been revealed.

The bill providing for the abolishment of the preventative arrest was referred to a committee of 21 members.

AUSTRIA'S NEW PREMIER SUBMITS LIST OF CABINET

Vienna, Saturday, October 28 (via London, Oct. 29)—Austria's new premier, Dr. Von Koerber, this afternoon submitted to Emperor Francis Joseph a list of the new cabinet, the Stuergkh cabinet havin gtoday submitted their resignations. The list was not made public, but the impression here is that the ministry will be composed of men entirely acceptable both to Dr. Von Koerber and Count Tissa, the Hungarian premier, with whom Dr. Von Koerber consulted yesterday.

Although Premier von Koerber has not been heard from so far on the question of convening parliament, it is understood he is in favor of such a course.

SAYS WRECKAGE HIT U-BOAT, COMPLETELY DESTROYING IT

London, October 29.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Athens says:

"The Embros' Corfu correspondent reports that the wreckage of an Italian torpedo boat destroyer, blown up by a mine laid by an Austrian submarine off the Epirus coast, fell upon the submarine and completely destroyed it.

ST. PAUL'S CHAPEL, NEW YORK, CELEBRATING ITS 150TH YEAR

George Washington Worshipped In Noted Church on Lower Broadway

New York, Oct. 29.—St. Paul's chapel on Lower Broadway in one of the busiest parts of New York, where George Washington worshipped, today began a seven day celebration of its 150th anniversary. A service arranged for tomorrow, it was announced will be attended by a representative of the president of the United States, the govdernor of New York and the mayor of the city, as well as members of historial societies and other bodies.

The pew which Washington occupied has been draped with four large American flags and bears the Washington family coat of arms.

Methodist churches throughout the city today began the celebration of the 150th anniversary of the founding of American Methodism in the city, by Philip Embury, an Irish immigrant, who had been made a local preacher in Ireland by John Wesley. Services were held today in Old John street church, known as the "Mother of Methodism", founded by Embury in 1766. The anniversary celebration will last through the week.

MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION IS ORGANIZED AT HAMLET

J. Paul Leonard, of Statesville, State Secretary, Speaks.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Hamlet, N. C., October 29. — A meeting of the merchants of Hamlet was held on Friday night to hear J. Paul Leonard, of Statesville, the Secretary of the State Merchants' Association. After the address by Mr. Leonard, the Hamlet Merchants' Association was formed, and practically every retail merchant of Hamlet, together with several not directly in the mercantile business, joined. The following were elected officers: E. D. Langston, president; C. M. Folsom, vice-president; John Mitchell, secretary, and a board of directors composed of L. A. Patrick, J. W. Fegram, C. H. Spencer, W. R. Land and F. N. Phillips.

The Hamlet Merchants' Association will co-operate with the state association. The secretary, John Mitchell, is also secretary of the Hamlet Chamber of Commerce, and will give the greater part of his time to the affairs of these two organizations, which will mean much to the upbuilding of Hamlet.

BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN PLOT AGAINST GEN. CALLES

Dynamite Found Under Wreckage on Southern Pacific In Mexico

Naco, Ariz., Oct. 29.—On clearing up the wreck on the Southern Pacific of Mexico railway, which occurred near Del Rio, Sonora, three days, it was found that dynamite had been placed under the track with what it is believed to have been the intention of blowing up the special train bearing General Calles, until recently military commander of Sonora. The dynamite exploded under the heavy freight train which followed it.

Reports brought here say that the Carranza government is placing soldiers at different points along the Southern Pacific Mexican lines and at Cananea. There are also rumors that revolutionary forces are gathering in the mountainous parts of Sonora.

CHAS. W. HOTCHKISS DEAD

Was Well Known in Financial Railroad Circles In The North

Chicago, Oct. 29.—Charles Willcox Hotchkiss, well known in financial and railroad circles, of New York and Chicago, is dead at Battle Creek, Mich., of organic heart disease, according to word received here today. He was 53 years old. He was chairman of the board of directors of the Virginia railroad and president of the Chicago Tunnel Company. Mr. Hotchkiss entered employ of the Pennsylvania as road man at the age of 20. He constructed the Indiana Harbor Belt railroad and the Chicago, Indiana and Southern railroad, becoming general manager of these lines after their consolidation with the New York Central system.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Oct. 29.—Allen Benson, socialist candidate for president, in an address here today, continued his attacks on the Hay-Chamberlain army re-organization bill and sent a telegram to President Wilson at Long Branch, requesting him to make a statement "of the reasons that caused you to sign a bill containing a draft clause."

Master Buddie McLeod
5-Year-Old Tenor—Victoria.
(advertisement.)

REFORMATION SERVICE HELD BY LUTHERANS

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or truths which God revealed to the world in and through Jesus Christ. No man invented these truths or imagined them. They are a gift of God. The significance of the Reformation consists in this, that Luther and those who worked in his spirit, uncovered to the world, this foundation of truth and recalled men to know and believe them in their purity and entirety.

"These truths of God are woven by the Reformers into a system of theology. All Christian churches begin with this foundation. But not all of them are careful to build according to the proportion of faith. We contend that Luther's system of truth is consistent and in harmony throughout with the foundation as laid by God. He has built upon this foundation doctrines that are pure like gold, chaste as silver, rare and desirable as precious stones. For time has neither dimmed nor destroyed this divinely consistent construction of theology. He also avoided the wood, hay stubble of human invention and imagination which ignores or runs counter to the foundation, God's word as revealed in Christ Jesus, the prophets and apostles.

"Would we could sufficiently appreciate the power of ideas, thoughts. We would scrutinize more carefully what views and thoughts we give entrance to our imagination and soul. Ideas rule the world, they make or mar, bless or curse us. May be realize this as we understand who we are. 'Ye are God's temple.' The ideas we hold, the faith we permit to fashion our life and conduct, will build and beautify, or desecrate and destroy that temple of the soul. Yes, it matters much every way what a man believes. He must have the truth as well as hold it sincerely. Herein Luther may serve us as a worthy model. He build his theology on Jesus Christ, and Him alone. The temple of the soul will be made beautiful and fit for God's spirit, if we sincerely believe and follow it. For Luther's lore is the Bible, the whole Bible and nothing but the Bible. In these days of indifference to the truth, of gross wordliness, of sensuous amusements within the reach of all, of an educational system almost completely divorced from the spirit of God, let us teach Luther's Catechism to our children, that precious little book which, has been translated into almost as many languages as the Bible. Then the temples of their souls will be preserved and not defiled or destroyed by the ideas of the world, of the flesh and the devil.

"A glorious promise is ours, an heritage surpassing rich, if we are faithful to the truth and our convictions, begotten and moulded by God's truth, as was Luther. Then 'all things are ours.' We can have and hold the world, its great teachers, its wealth, its power, the things in heaven, powers and principalities. They can only promote our growth and help us to develop our powers for by the truth, once forgotten but revealed anew to the world by the men we love and honor today, we are Christ's. 'And if ye be followers of Him, who is he that harm you?' "

RAILROADS TO FIGHT ORDER FOR POWERFUL SEARCHLIGHTS

Commerce Commission Will Begin Hearing On Subject Today

New York, Oct. 29.—Prominent railroad officials left this city tonight for Washington to appear tomorrow before the Interstate Commerce Commission and ask to have vacated or modified an order that powerful search lights be placed on all the locomotives in the country on January 1, next. The four brotherhoods of railroad employees, who started the fight for the searchlights more than a year ago, are expected to oppose the petition of the railroad heads, it was said.

At present locomotives carry headlights of about 16 candle-power which are more to "mark" the engine than to show the track, according to the brotherhoods. They say the new searchlights would be of vastly greater candle power.

STORE IS ROBBED.

Thieves Broke Into Store of N. Sorandos Last Night.

The store of N. Sorandos, Eighth and Wooster streets, was entered and robbed by thieves last nigh, who secured several boxes of cigars, cigarettes and smoking tobacco.

The entry was effected by breaking in a window at the rear of the store, and was made some time between nightfall and midnight. It was not discovered by the proprietor of the store until about 12 o'clock last night, and was immediately reported to the police.

Officer W. H. Kermon investigated, but could find no clues to the identity of the thieves.

CAPTURE OF TWO TOWNS BY VILLA FORCES IS REPORTED

El Paso, Texas, Oct. 29.—A report was received by United States government agents here tonight that Santa Rosalia, Chihuahua, and Santa Barbara, Chihuahua ,had been taken by the Villa forces. The report is not given credence by army officers here.

Carranza soldiers stationed at Guadalaoupe, 32 miles southeast of Juarez, on the border, are reported to have deserted and crossed to the American side today because they were not paid in silver money instead of Carranza currency.

NONE OF THE PASSENGERS OR CRE WOF THE CHICAGO HURT

Paris, Oct. 29.—One of the passengers or crew on the French Line steamer Chicago was injured through the fire which broke out on board the liner while bound from Bordeaux for New York, and which caused her to put into the Azores, where the flames in her hold were extinguished, says a telegram received today from the French Line from its agents in the Azores. The damage from the fire is slight.

Kinston, N. C., Oct. 29. — Gen. B. S. Royster, of Oxford, made the address at the unveiling of memorials to three deceased members of the Woodmen of the World in Maplewood cemetery here today. Hundreds of persons attended the ceremony, including Woodmen from camps in half a dozen counties. The monuments were erected at the graves of G. W. Knott, J. A. M. Long and P. B. Fanney.

Trenton, N. C., Oct. 28. — The Jones-Onslow union of Christian churches is in annual session here. Practically all of the churches of the Disciples in both counties are represented. Preachers from various parts of the state are on the programme, while a number of laymen from outside the union's territory are visitors at the sessions.

LENOIR DEMOCRATS WORKING TO SECURE RECORD MAJORITY

Hundreds of Speakers to Invade Eastern Counties During the Week

(Speciil Star Correspondence)

Kinston, N. C., Oct. 29.—To make the majority in the county Tuesday week the biggest in its history is the aim of the Lenoir Democratic leaders, who Tuesday at Tull's Mill will start on the final stage of the county canvass. A rally will be held at Pink Hill, the third town in importance in the county, Wednesday, and another at Falling Creek Thursday. The feature of the local campaign will come on Saturday, when the Kinston precincts will hold a mass meeting, eulogize the National and State administrations and hear the oratory of district and county speakers Col. A. C. Davis, of Goldsboro, will make an address at LaGrange Tuesday night.

Hundreds of speakers will glorify Democracy in the eastern counties during the week. Besides the big program Lenoir will pull off, Greene's nominees will exert themselves to the utmost, with the following schedule: Walstonburg Monday, Jason Tuesday, Bullhead Friday and Snow Hill Saturday. Congressman Kitchin is expected to be at the Walstonburg meeting tomorrow. Each speech making will take the form of a mass meeting for several townships. Lenoir county will assist at several places.

Beaufort county spell binders will put in the week without a break. They will hold forth at Pinetown, and Edward Monday; North Creek and Blounts Creek Tuesday; South Creek, Woodards and Moore school Wednesday; Aurora and Gilead Thursday; Belhaven and old Ford Friday and Hunters Bridge Saturdhy. Jos. F. Taylor, of Washington, D. C., will assist in the canvass. Speakers at the various places will include ex-Judge S. C. Bragaw, A. J. Maxwell, Secretary of State Bryan Grimes and Congressman Robert N. Page.

DEMOCRATS OF THE SEVENTH ARE ASKED TO VOTE SOLIDLY

R. N. Hackett Tells of Strong Fight Republicans are Making.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Wadesboro, Oct. 29.—Many of the people of this county wondered why the executive committee of the Democratic party of this State should send such men as Richard N. Hackett to address them upon the political issues, feeling that the forceful presentation of arguments backed by irrefutable logic should be utilized upon audiences where it is possible to make converts.

Mr. Hackett gave answer to this public inquiry when he told his audience here Saturday afternoon that apathy and lathargy in solid Democratic counties was the greatest problem that the executive committee had to deal with. He stated that the same chairman of the Republican party in this district who brought about his defeat for re-election in the old Eighth is engineering the campaign to defeat the Democratic nominee of the Seventh district. That he is welding the Republican vote into one solid mass that will cast their vote on November the 7th for the opponent of Mr. L. D. Robinson and that the only way to overcome this solid Republican vote will be for the Democrats of the district to arouse themselves and see that every registered voters does his duty on election day.

BAILY REAFFIRMS THE TRUTH OF HIS STATEMENT

Boston, Mass. Oct 29.—A reaffirmation of the truth of his statement that Henry Breckinridge, former assistant Secretary of War, had told him that President Wilson had eliminated a postscript from the second Luistania note after several members of his cabinet threatened to resign if it were included, was made today by Dr. Charles H. Bailey, a professor at the Tufts Medical School.

Dr. Bailey was quoted last night in a letter at a political meeting in Sommerville by Senator Lodge as having had a conversation with Mr. Breckinridge on a train from San Francisco, last July in which the former assistant Secretary of War made the alleged assertion regarding the postscript.

According to a statement issued by the Republican state committee, Dr. Bailey replied tonight to an inquiry he has received from the Philadelphia Public Ledger that his letter as read by Senator Lodge as "a fair and not at all exaggerated" story of his conversation with Breckinridge.

FRENCH ADVANCE NORTH AND SOUTH OF THE SOMME

Paris, October 29. — Fresh progress has been made by the French in fighting on the Somme front near Sailly-Saillisel, north of the Somme, and in the vicinity of Biaches, south of the river, the war office announced today. Some prisoners were taken.

In the Verdun region there was no infantry movement, but the artillery engagement continued. The official statement reads:

"On the Somme front, we made some progress in the regions of Sailly-Saillisel and Biaches, and took some prisoners.

"North of Verdun artillery fighting continued without any infantry action.

"There was nothing to report from the remainder of the front."

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(Special Star Correspondence)

Hamlet, N. C., Oct. 29.—On Friday W. R. Land and J. R. Gordon let the contract for the erection of the three story store and office building, which they will erect on Hamlet Avenue, to J. W. Stout, of Sanford. The building when completed will cost about $30,000 and will be modern in every respect.

L. A. Patrick, proprietor of the Patrick Furniture Co., is having a second story added to his already large furniture store on Main street.

Opelousas, La., October 29. — Attorneys for Helaire Carriere, who was found guilty by a jury here last night of the murder of Sheriff Malron L. Swords, of St. Landry parish, last July, announced today that a motion for a new trial for Carriere would be made at the proper time. The verdict of "guilty of murder without recommendations" under the state law carries with it a penalty of death.

Galveston, Texas, Oct. 29.—The jury in the case of John Copeland, banker, charged with the killing of William Black, an anti-Catholic lecturer in Marshall, Texas, February 3, 1915, was still out tonight after having had the case since 3:15 o'clock last night.

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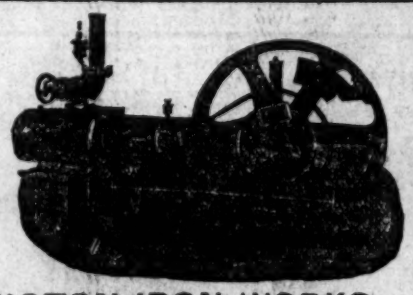

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